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CHARLTON'S CASE MORE PERPLEXING

Youthful Self-Confessed Murderer Held For Italian Authorities.

ATTITUDE OF JERSEY COURT

Possibility That Murderer Will Go Free Without Trial—His Sanity Must be Proven Before Released—Alienists.

New York, June 24.—Porter Charlton will never be tried for murder in the courts of New Jersey. Whether he beat his wife on the head into insensibility with blows with a wooden mallet at Lake Como, Italy, and then stuffed her still living, into a trunk and sank the trunk in the waters of the lake, is a matter outside the jurisdiction of the New Jersey courts.

On the other hand, he will not be released until the question of his sanity is determined. This is assured by the Charlton family who announced through counsel tonight that if the youth's mind proves dangerously unsound they would take the initiative in having him committed to some suitable institution.

The attitude of the New Jersey courts as defined tonight by Prosecutor Pierre Garven, of Hudson county, is this:

"The State of New Jersey now holds Charlton merely on the complaint of the Italian consul general as a fugitive from Italian justice, pending a request for his extradition from the Italian Department of State, through the Italian minister to Secretary Knox, of the American Department of State. If extradition is not demanded there is absolutely no action that the courts of this State can take. Whether the Federal courts can still step in is a matter outside my province and on which the Attorney General of the United States is more competent to pass opinion."

Thus there is a possibility that Charlton may walk from jail a free man without trial for the general trend of the dispatches from Rome seems to indicate that the Italian government will act in the matter with reluctance if at all, since to demand extradition to Italy of an American citizen, who has committed a crime within Italian jurisdiction, would imperil a cherished Italian precedent.

Alienists retained by the family, who examined young Charlton today, are Charles L. Dana, professor of nervous diseases in the Cornell Medical School; Dr. Edward B. Fisher, McLean Hamilton, prominent in the Thaw trials, and Wm. J. Arlitz, city physician of Hoboken.

Charlton's answer test questions by the alienists from shortly before 1 o'clock until nearly 3 o'clock. His attitude seemed to be one of total indifference. On the conclusion of the testimony, Attorney Clark, speaking for the party, said that no definite conclusions had been reached and that a further examination would be made tomorrow. Dr. Arlitz, who visited Charlton in his cell this morning, said that there was no doubt in his mind that the boy was partially insane.

Capt. Henry Harrison Scott, U. S. A. brother of Charlton's murdered wife, whose persistency brought about the boy's capture, is positive that the prisoner is sane.

Charlton, his brother Clarence, and his father had an hour's talk after the consultation of the alienists. The two elder men came away much depressed.

Emil Fuchs, counsel for Capt. Scott, sent a letter to Secretary of State Knox tonight urging that Charlton be prosecuted.

"I have in my possession," he wrote, "letters and other evidence tending to show the condition of mind of Porter Charlton, who stands accused of the murder of his wife. These letters and other evidence were dated approximately about the time of the commission of the murder.

"In my consultations with the representatives of the Italian government I am informed they have evidence substantiating the confession of Porter Charlton. Whatever compassion Capt. Scott and his family may feel for the respected parents of the accused, such feeling cannot deter them from seeking justice. Therefore Capt. Scott desires that I might aid you when the time comes in the presentation of such facts as will establish not only the commission of this crime by Porter Charlton, but also that he was and is legally sane."

He concludes with an offer to go to Washington if deemed advisable.

PROHIBITION TICKET NAMED.

Larkin Nominated for Governor in Pennsylvania.

Harrisburg, Pa., June 24.—Madison F. Larkin, of Scranton, was nominated for governor of Pennsylvania by the Prohibition State Convention here late today being chosen over H. T. Ames, an attorney of Williamsport, and D. Clarence Gibbony, of Philadelphia. Larkin received 92 votes to 33 for Ames and 16 for Gibbony.

The rest of the ticket was made up of Charles E. McConkey, Mercer county, for lieutenant governor; Irving W. Huckins, Philadelphia, for State treasurer, and Charles W. Huntington, Williamsport, for secretary of internal affairs.

IMPORTANT BILLS PASS THE HOUSE

Appalachian Forest Reserve and Scott Anti-Option Measnre Adopted.

AIMED AT FUTURE CONTRACTS

Cotton Bill, However, Not Expected to Get By in the Senate—Discussion on Both Measures During Day.

Washington, June 24.—The Appalachian Forest Reserve bill for the conservation of the watersheds of navigable streams was passed by the House tonight. The bill applies especially to the White Mountains and the Southern Appalachian region.

The Scott anti-option bill to restrict cotton exchange transactions which do not involve actual delivery of the commodity was also passed by the House today, 160 to 41. The bill is not expected to pass the Senate.

A filibuster against the Scott bill was instituted shortly after the general debate on the measure began in the House. Many of the New York and New Orleans members are against the bill, while Chicago members oppose it on account of the Chicago marts.

Mr. Fitzgerald, of New York, was to have led the opposition today with an amendment to the bill to include the transactions in grain futures in its provisions—a plan designed to kill the bill—but Mr. Fitzgerald was ill at his home as a result of the heat.

Mr. Calder, of New York, in Mr. Fitzgerald's absence, interrupted the debate with a point of no quorum. About 100 members were in the chamber. A call of the House was ordered and members hurried in. Mr. Calder said his action was not for dilatory purposes but he objected to have the Democrats in force while only a few Republicans were on the floor. He said he purposed keeping a quorum during the discussion. Just before noon 258 members—a quorum—were announced and the proceedings were resumed.

JOHNSON ARRIVES AT RENO.

Champion Had Difficulties—Governor Assures Tex Rickard.

Reno, Nev., June 24.—If Jack Johnson were a superstitious negro he might regard with apprehension certain peculiar facts connected with his trip from San Francisco to Reno last night and today.

When Jack left San Francisco last night, it was an undertaker who said the final words to the champion to speed him on his way. Twenty-three was the date of his departure.

Early today in the snow sheds near Truckee, Jack's train was delayed by a freight car derailment in tunnel No. 13 and the champion and his party finally left the train at Reno just 13 minutes past 1 o'clock, three hours after the time scheduled for his arrival To round out this "hoodoo" combination, he settled down in his training quarters on a Friday.

One of the first statements given out by Johnson was a denial of the report that he had re-appointed George Little as his manager.

"Flanagan," he said "is the man who is looking after my business interests, and he will continue to do so until after the fight."

Jim Jeffries toped off a hard day's work with a road run late this afternoon. He donned the boxing gloves for the first time here this morning, but there was scarcely a blow in the five rounds sparred with Armstrong and his brother, Jack, as the fast footwork on the slippery floor of the platform was thought dangerous.

In view of continued talk of possible interference by State officers, Promoter Rickard was reassured by the receipt today from Ely of a telegram from Governor Dickerson:

"Prize fight licensed under laws of this State. My duties are to enforce laws, not to make them. There will be no interference from the governor's office if requirements of the law are complied with. This decision is irrevocable. You may use this telegram as you see fit."

"D. S. DICKERSON,
Governor of Nevada."

WRECK ON A. C. L.

Collision on Wadesboro Florence Branch—Two Injured.

Wadesboro, N. C., June 24.—In a collision at McFarlan station on the Atlantic Coast Line, south of Wadesboro, last night, Engineer J. L. Teal was seriously injured and scalded and Brakeman Thomas Sings badly injured. Teal was in charge of the construction train and as his train passed the switch a string of empties on the siding started and collided with the train. The engine was practically demolished. The track was torn up.

Norfolk, Va., June 24—Large crowds witnessed the fourth day matches in the Virginia State Tennis Tournament. The best match of the tournament was between Thornton and Grant and Taylor and Taylor, which was uncompleted on account of darkness. It will be completed tomorrow and the winner will play Winston and Whitehead for the championship of the State.

CONGRESS ABOUT READY TO ADJOURN

Record For Enacting Legislation of Importance to Nation.

REVIEW OF SESSION'S WORK

Strenuous Reform in Manner of Conducting Business in House—Speaker Shorn of Some of His Power. Features.

Washington, June 24.—Notwithstanding the fact that action on many important measures was delayed by conflicts between "insurgents" and "regular" Republican factions in both branches and that the Democratic minority was an active force, Congress is expected to conclude its long session tomorrow with a record for enacting legislation that seldom, if ever, has been equalled.

Chief in the list of legislation for which the administration contended were the following:

Striking revision of railroad laws, including the creation of a commerce court.

Admitting Arizona and New Mexico as separate states.

Authorizing the establishment of Postal savings banks.

Giving to the President unlimited authority to withdraw public lands for conservation purposes.

Providing for publicity of campaign contributions.

Authorizing the issue of $20,000,000 in certificates of indebtedness to complete reclamation projects.

Creating a Bureau of Mines.

Extending the activities of the tariff board and appropriating $250,000 for its use.

Looking to the suppression of traffic in "white slaves."

Authorizing the entry of the surface of coal lands.

Creating a commission to consider economies in the administration of the federal government.

Providing a new tariff system for the Philippine Islands.

Legislation, which, ultimately is expected to give practical prohibition to the Hawaiian Islands.

Opposed to the foregoing formidable list of legislation obtained were a comparatively small number of measures which had administration sympathy but failed of passage.

Not the least conspicuous acts acts of Congress were the strenuous measues taken by the House of Representatives to reform its system of conducting business so that less power might be imposed in the Speaker and the organization, of which he was the natural leader.

The Speaker was removed from the committee on rules which he had previously been credited with dominating and a new rule was adopted for the purpose of effectually preventing pigeonholing of bills before committee when they were approved by a majority of the House, regardless of party affiliation.

The increase provided for the Navy was notable.

Two battleships of 27,000 tons each, armed with 14-inch guns, making them the most formidable dreadnaughts afloat, were authorized. The naval strength of the United States will be further supplemented by six torpedo destroyers, two colliers and four submarines, while an increase of the personal of the navy of 3,000 men was authorized.

Various other measures of minor importance were enacted into law.

BEATS EMPEROR'S BOAT

American Yacht Won Memorial Prize in German Race.

Kiel, June 24.—In the feature event of the regatta today the American schooner Yacht Westward, owned by Alexander S. Cochran, of New York, won the Krupp memorial prize, beating Emperor William's American built Meteor, with the Emperor at the wheel, by half an hour over a 23 mile course. The Hamburg, formerly the Rainbow, which belongs to the Norddeutscher regatta Verein came in third. The Germania which is owned by Lieutenant Krupp von Bohlen and Halbach, and the Cicely did not finish.

The Westward was sailed by Captain "Charlie" Barr, the American skipper and an expert crew.

She outclassed the other contestants, leading from start to finish.

The race was sailed in a virtual calm, and there was a heavy rain throughout. Emperor William personally steered the Meteor during the nine hours it took to complete the contest.

CURTISS TO SMASH RECORDS

Famous Aviator Hopes to Achieve Great Feats at St Paul.

St. Paul, Minn., June 24.—The third day of the Twin City auto and aviation meet promises to be exciting. Ben Kerscher and Barney Oldfield will try to lower more track records, the latter going after the four mile circular track record in his Benz car, which has broken two world's records since the present meet began. There will be a number of match races in addition to the speed trials.

Glenn H. Curtiss is anxious to try for new records in his aeroplane. Atmospheric conditions have been unfavorable for the last two days.

BRIBERY ATTEMPT AROUSES SENATE

Disclosures of Blind Oklahoma Senator Creates a Sensation.

WOULD STEAL FROM INDIANS

Senator Gore Says Members of Both Houses Are Involved—Brought Out in Connection With Land Contracts.

Washington, June 24.—Senator Gore, of Oklahoma, disclosed in the Senate today, what he interpreted as an effort to bribe him in connection with legislation affecting the fortune in attorney's fees claimed by J. F. McMurray, of Oklahoma, for services rendered to the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations in land and town site cases.

The charge created a sensation in the Senate which later extended to the House. The latter body in consequence sent back to conference the general deficiency bill which carried an item relating to contracts between the Indians and their attorneys.

As the result of the denouncement, Senator Gore finally involved a member of the Senate Committee on Indian affairs, a member of the House committee on Indian affairs, two former senators—one from Nebraska and the other from Kansas—but whose names were not made public in debate. It is not improbable that an investigation will be ordered.

Mr. Gore was compelled to address the Senate three times before that body was fully aroused to the seriousness of the charges which he made. His first effort was in connection with the adoption of the conference report on the deficiency bill, which had been presented by Senator Hale. As passed by the Senate, that measure contained an amendment which would render null and void contracts made by the Choctaw and Chickasaw nations and by individual members of these tribes with their attorneys unless the contracts were approved by Congress.

This provision was in accordance with a resolution introduced by Mr. Gore on May 4th last. It was designed to prevent Mr. McMurray from obtaining fees which it is said would aggregate $3,000,000 and which Mr. Gore complained had not been earned by the attorney.

The conference report had been adopted by the Senate when Mr. Gore entered the chamber. He announced that he had been informed that the Senate had receded from the amendment requiring the approval by Congress of tribal agreements, but Mr. Hale assured him that the matter had been properly safeguarded.

He added that as agreed upon in conference these agreements would require approval by the President and the Secretary of the Interior before becoming effective.

Mr. Gore accepted the explanation, but said if the contracts were to be recognized Mr. McMurray would receive $3,000,000. It was in this connection that he first announced that improper influence had been exerted by a representative of Mr. McMurray in an effort to defeat the provision requiring Congressional action upon the contracts.

Characterizing the McMurray claims as having been "conceived in corruption and brought forth in corruption" Mr. Gore said that he had been approached by an outsider who desired to interest him in the McMurray claims.

Later Mr. Gore examined the provision as agreed upon in conference. He lost no time in returning to the Senate chamber where he moved to reconsider the vote by which the conference report had been adopted. The presiding officer informed him that the report had passed out of the possession of the Senate.

Mr. Gore then moved to recall the report, but Mr. Gallinger moved to lay

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OUTLINES.

Senator Gore, of Oklahoma, startled the Senate yesterday by announcing that he had been in effect offered a bribe of $50,000 to withdraw his opposition in regard to contracts for sale of Indian lands——The Scott anti-option bill to restrict cotton exchange transactions, which do not involve actual delivery of the staple was passed by the House yesterday——The case of Porter Charlton in New Jersey has grown perplexing and unless he is turned over to the Italian authorities there is a possibility of him going free without trial——Attorney General Wickersham yesterday addressed the Illinois Bar Association in defense of the power of the National government to legislate on the subject of the issuance of stocks and bonds of railroad corporations——Jack Johnson arrived at Reno, Nev., yesterday for the fight on July 4th. Gov. Dickinson has assured the fighters that State officers will not interfere with the battle——New York markets: Money on call firm 2 to 3 per cent., ruling rate 2 7-8, closing bid 2, offered at 2 1-2. Spot cotton closed dull, middling uplands 15.05, middling gulf 15.30. Flour was firmly held with a quiet jobbing trade. Wheat spit firm, No. 2 red 1.06 nominal to arrive, No. 1 northern 1.21 3-8 nominal f.o.b. to arrive. Corn spot firm No. 2, 69 1-2 nominal elevator, domestic basis to arrive. Rosin and turpentine firm.

Mr. W. C. Wilkinson

Cashier Merchants' and Farmers' National Bank, Charlotte.

ELECTED YESTERDAY PRESIDENT OF THE NORTH CAROLINA BANKERS' ASSOCIATION IN SESSION AT WRIGHTSVILLE BEACH.

TAFT'S PROPOSAL ACCEPTED

Conferees on Reclamation Projects Bill Came to Terms Yesterday. Measure Carries $20,000,000. Accepted by Senate.

Washington, June 24.—The House conferees today won their fight for the House provision in the bill authorizing the issuance of $20,000,000 worth of certificates of indebtedness for the completion of existing reclamation projects, requiring an examination by army engineers of projects on which it is proposed to spend the money so raised.

They made the concession, however, that the provision should be modified so that the power of approving projects should rest upon the President alone. The House provision would have required the approval also of the army engineers.

The Senate opposed turning over to army engineers the question of examining and approving projects, on the ground that many of the projects had been developed to a point where they must be continued according to the original plans or all of the money already invested would be lost.

An effort to reconcile the differences was made at the White House today when the President had the conferees to luncheon. He proposed that the question of having the projects examined by army engineers be left to the discretion of the executive, and the Senate conferees were willing to accept this suggestion.

The matter was not settled, however, until after another conference at the capitol, and the agreement resulted only after still further concessions by the Senate conferees.

After considerable debate over the provision at issue the Senate accepted the conference report.

PLAYER DEVLIN SUSPENDED.

Result of Fight During Game in Brooklyn Thursday.

New York, June 24.—Arthur Devlin has been indefinitely suspended from the New York National team by President Lynch because of the player's attack on a spectator in Brooklyn yesterday.

In a statement issued tonight President Lynch says that Doyle and Devore have been fined $50 each because they acted as accessories, where they might have been employed as peacemakers.

Devlin, who plays third base, has been with the New York Nationals ten years and is a crack player. Devlin was made defendant today in a civil suit for $5,000 damages brought by Bernard J. Roessler, a Brooklyn garage keeper, who charges that Devlin knocked him out for seven minutes with a right swing to the jaw while Brooklyn game yesterday from a box seat.

Roessler insists that the man for whom the swing was meant sat directly behind him. This man, he says, had been calling Devlin names but when the ball player reached the box seat he subsided and Devlin punched Roessler by mistake.

Devlin was arrested after the fracas yesterday, but was discharged for lack of a formal complaint. Today Roessler swore out a warrant for his arrest.

FINISH OF WAKE CAMPAIGN

Regulars and Insurgents Both Claim Victory on Eve of Primaries Today —Mass Meeting of "Ringsters" Last Night.

(Special Star Tel.)

Raleigh, N. C., June 24.—From 8 to 11:30 o'clock tonight the "regular" or "ring" faction of the Wake county democracy held a stirring rally as a round up of the campaign so strenuous the past sixty days. The principal speakers were J. N. Holding, for years chairman of the county democracy; W. C. Douglass, Chas. U. Harris, prominent Democrats and representatives in the recent Legislatures.

"The speakers indicted the "insurgent" leaders, Editor Josephus Daniels and J. W. Bailey and their aides as "traducers of character and vilifiers of good men," their method being declared to be the use of half truths blended with outright falsehoods. In the last moments of the rally State Senator W. B. Jones, who heads the "ring" ticket, called out and declared amid wildest enthusiasm that the majority of the "regulars" tomorrow will be not less than 12,000 in the county with at least 400 of this coming from the rural districts.

Considerable stir was made here today by statements that leaders for the "insurgents" have brought a number of detectives here for service around the polls. Indignation among the "regulars" ran high. The "insurgents" deny any knowledge of the presence of detectives and insist they have no connection with any. The "insurgent" leaders tonight claim victory tomorrow, their estimates varying from an indefinite majority to a thousand.

CONGRESSMAN GODWIN

Talks of Stewart Letter and Now Famous Tart Case.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Dunn, N. C., June 24.—Your correspondent saw Congressman H. L. Godwin here tonight and asked if he had seen a copy of Mrs. Stewart's letter. He said he saw a copy for the first time today and stated that it was purposely circulated too late to be answered before the primaries. He said that it was the last attempt of the combination to turn the tide that is now running so strongly in his favor. He does not believe that Mrs. Stewart gave this letter of her own initiative but it was no doubt prepared by the combination and obtained through the influence of her brother-in-law who, is a partisan Republican. In reference to the Tart case which was published in the Wilmington Star and signed "Voter" he said that it was nothing more than paid advertising matter prepared and published by the combined opposition.

G. K. GRANTHAM.

PUBLIC BUILDING BILL.

All North Carolina Items Retained by Senator Overman.

Washington, June 24.—The public building bill agreed on by the conference is now ready for final passage. It carries for North Carolina $1,297,500. Senator Overman held every House item and added $320,000. Representative Webb gets for district a quarter of a million for Charlotte; $60,000 for Hickory and $10,000 for Shelby.

CAROLINA BANKERS FINISH SESSIONS

Fourteenth Annual Convention of State Association Comes to a Close.

MR. W. O. WILKINSON PRESIDENT

Mr. H. C. McQueen, of This City, Delegate to American Bankers' Association—Other Proceedings Yesterday.

The 14th annual convention of the North Carolina Bankers' Association, conceded to have been the most largely attended in the history of the organization, probably the most profitable ever held and unquestionably the most enjoyable from a social standpoint, adjourned sine die at 12:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

In the afternoon the visitors attended the baseball game at League Park between Fayetteville and Wilmington, which was the concluding feature of the annual gathering. Some of the bankers left yesterday and last evening for their homes but a majority are still at the Seashore Hotel, Wrightsville Beach, which was headquarters.

The features of the closing session were three splendid addresses, adoption of a very important resolution relating to the taxing of banks, and authorizing the legislative committee to take up the matter with the proper committee of the next General Assembly, election and installation of officers, naming of a committee to investigate and report on Torrens system of land registration, and discussion and adoption of several minor reports.

Nearly all the bankers and members of their families have been guests at the Seashore Hotel, where the sessions were held and while the hotel was crowded to its utmost capacity, the accommodations were all that could reasonably be expected with several organizations in session on the beach at the same time. The visitors, for the most part, return to their homes convinced that Wrightsville Beach is superior to any other seashore resort in the South.

The convention was called to order shortly after 10 o'clock with President John O. Ellington in the chair. First on the programme was an address on "Bank Taxation," by Col. J. F. Bruton, president of the First National Bank, of Wilson, and one of the ablest bankers in the State. His address was listened to with the closest attention for it was on a subject of vital interest to every banker in the State. The address will be found in another column of today's paper. At the conclusion of his address a resolution was adopted instructing the secretary to have the address printed and a copy sent to every banker in the State, and copy also sent to each member of the next General Assembly.

The resolution offered by Col. Bruton Thursday relating to bank taxation and made a special order for yesterday morning, and to be taken up immediately after the address of Col. Bruton, was generally discussed. This resolution was published in yesterday's paper.

Gen. Nelson, of Lillington, expressed himself as being heartily in favor of the resolution, and said he came to the convention ready to fight if some action was not taken along this line. The chairman of the Corporation Commission, he said, seemed to think the body was organized to convict whenever a banker appeared and another member gave him the impression of being a "me too." He thought the present method of taxation extremely unjust with everything favoring the land owner. If it became necessary to fight, the speaker said he was willing for the Bank of Lillington to be made the target.

Mr. J. Elwood Cox, of High Point, stated that he was a member of the legislative committee of the Bankers' Association and that it was the opinion of the committee that a fight would not be the proper course, but that a committee should take the matter up with the finance committee of the General Assembly and endeavor to get the desired changes made, but, of course, would be glad to have the support of the association.

Gen. Nelson offered the suggestion that it might not be amiss to get the Governor on their side as they could certainly not get the Corporation Commission to see anything their way.

Mr. J. A. Brown, of Chadbourn, thought the legislative committee exactly right as to how the matter should be acted upon, and stated that when the law was passed he was a member of the finance committee of the Legislature and that not a banker appeared before the committee to make any suggestion, and the one banker member of the committee made no objection to the act. He said that he was glad to note the change of sentiment in North Carolina during the past few years towards banks and corporations. In defense of the Corporation Commission, the speaker said that body had not discretion; that the law was fixed and there was no course but to follow it.

Dr. J. B. Carlisle, of the Bank of Wake, Wake Forest, was opposed to a public fight and favored a private conference as suggested by the committee.

After the discussion the resolution

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THE WORLD OF SPORTS

RACING — BASEBALL — BOXING

SAILORS TURN THE TABLES

Highlanders Defeated by Exactly Same Score They Won on Preceding Day—Fine Exhibition of the National Sport.

Results Yesterday.

Rocky Mount 0; Wilson 7.
Raleigh 2; Goldsboro 0.
Fayetteville 1; Wilmington 3.

Where They Play Today.

Wilson at Rocky Mount.
Fayeteville at Wilmington.
Goldsboro at Raleigh.

"Crash! Crash! Crash! went the bat upon the spheriod;
Biff! Biff! Biff! went the stick upon the ball;
Pat! Pat! Pat! went the Sailor runner's feetsies,
At that humping, jumping, thumping game of ball."
—Sailors' Chanty.

By exactly the same score the Sailor lads were defeated in the opening game of the series on Thursday, they took yesterday's game from the Highlanders with Howard on the slab for the locals and the much-tooted Luyster doing the ridge work for the visitors. It was a great game and was witnessed by upwards of a thousand of the faithful, including a number of the visiting bankers here for the convention at Wrightsville Beach.

The visitors put over their lone run in the first when Mullin, first up, hit to Howard and on wild throw to first, went around to third; Dobson was then out short to first, Mullin having scored while Shuman was going out short to first, O'Halloran flying to right. Wilmington was out from the infield in order in her half and both were likewise out in the second.

In the third after Luyster flew to right, Galvin singled to right and went to second on wild pitch but was out at third on fielder's choice on Mullin's hit, Mullin being caught later attempting second. Wilmington in its half broke up the game, when after Gilmore was out third to first, Howard

KLUTTZ PILLOWED EVERYTHING IN CENTRE.

singled to right and Kluttz hit to right for two bases, Howard scoring on Dubbs' infield hit, Kluttz advancing to third. Tydeman was up and short bobbled a thrown ball, which with a wild throw home, scored Kluttz and Dubbs; Tydeman and Mills then bunched a couple of safeties, Tydeman being out on fielder's choice and Doak being out attempting to stretch a hit to centre into a double.

Schumaker got a pass and Donovan a bingle with one down in the fourth, but it netted nothing and Wilmington was out in order. It was ditto in the fifth but Dobson and Schumaker started the sixth with bingles but the three following Kilties were out in the infield. Tydeman started Wilmington with a safety to second and Mills was safe on error. Doak then hit to centre for two bags and Tydeman was caught at the plate; Carroll singled past second and Mills scored; Burke was up and Doak scored on wild pitch; Carroll was out at the plate and Burke fanned.

In the seventh after McEnroe flew to left, Luyster hit to left for two bases but was out at third on fielder's choice of Galvin's hit, Mullin being out third to first. Gilmore started Wilmington's half with a swat to left for two bases and after Howard was out from the infield, Kluttz scored Gilmore on a Texas Leaguer to second; Dubbs up and Kluttz caught at second, Dubbs being out third to first.

Dobson started the eighth with a single to short but was caught attempting second, Schumaker and O'Halloran on flys. Wilmington was out from infield. Donovan, Bunting and McEnroe were out in order in the ninth.

The Tabulated Score.

Fayetteville.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Mullen, cf	4	1	0	1	0	0
Dobson, 1b	4	0	2	14	1	1
Schumaker, lf	3	0	1	1	0	1
O'Halloran, 2b	4	0	0	3	5	0
Donovan, rf	4	0	1	1	1	0
Bunting, 3b	4	0	0	1	6	1
McEnroe, ss	3	0	0	0	3	1
Luyster, p	3	0	1	0	2	0
Galvin, c	3	0	1	3	2	0
Totals	32	1	6	24	20	4
Wilmington.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Kluttz, cf	4	1	2	2	0	0
Dubbs, ss	4	1	0	1	2	0
Tydeman, lf	4	0	2	1	0	0
Mills, 1b	3	1	0	8	1	0
Doak, rf	4	1	2	4	0	0
Caroll, 3b	3	0	1	3	2	2
Burke, bb	3	0	0	3	3	0
Gilmore, c	3	1	1	5	2	0
Howard, p	3	1	1	0	2	1
Totals	31	6	9	27	12	3

Score By Innings.

Fayetteville 100 000 000—1
Wilmington 003 002 10x—6

Summary—Two base hits, Luyster and Kluttz; sacrifice hits, Mills; bases on balls, Howard 1; struck out, Luyster 1, Howard 3; wild pitch, Howard; left on bases, Fayetteville 4, Wilmington 3; time 1:10; umpires, Henderson and Davis; attendance 650.

WILSON SHAKES THE HOODOO

Slugging in Opening Session Gave the Champs Game With Railroads Yesterday Afternoon—Sensational Fielding.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Rocky Mount, N. C., June 24.—Hits for extra bases gave the Tobacconists four runs in the opening frame and drove Pitcher Griffin from the mound today. Patterson made little outs of stemming the rally already begun though he pitched the succeeding frames with six hits. Both teams put up a good fielding game, Armstrong leading with a spectacular catch of Gastmeyer's drive to the fence. Miller hit a home run in the first with two on bases. Rain threatened to break the game up after the second inning, however, it was pulled through in threatening weather.

The Tabulated Score.

Wilson.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
D. McGeehan, 2b	4	1	1	1	3	0
Jacobs, 3b	3	2	1	0	3	0
Westlake, c	3	1	1	7	0	0
Miller, rf	4	1	1	0	0	0
C. McGeehan, 1b	4	1	2	11	2	0
Sheridan, cf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Armstron- lf	4	0	2	3	0	0
Spalding, ss	4	0	0	3	4	1
Foreman, p	4	0	0	2	3	0
Totals	33	7	9	27	15	1
Rocky Mount.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Gillespie, 3b	4	0	2	3	0	0
Forgue, ss	4	0	2	0	2	0
Stein, lf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Schuman, rf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Cregan, cf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Phelan, 1b	4	0	0	9	0	0
Gastmeyer, 2b	4	0	1	2	4	0
Cooney, c	4	0	1	8	3	0
Griffin, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Patterson, p	3	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	34	0	7	27	9	0

Score By Innings.

Wilson 400 001 020—7
Rocky Mount 000 000 000—0

Summary—Sacrifice hits, Westlake; hit by pitched ball, Spalding; bases on balls, Griffin 1, Foreman 1; struck out, Patterson 7, Foreman 7; stolen bases, Westlake; two base hits, D. McGeehan, Jacobs, Westlake, Gillespie, C. McGeehan, Armstrong; double plays, Spalding to D. McGeehan to C. McGeehan; left on bases, Rocky Mount 8, Wilson 2; time 2:00; umpire, Barre; attendance 450.

OTHER GAMES.

Southern League.

At Montgomery 3; New Orleans 5.
At Birmingham 1; Mobile 0.
At Nashville 0; Memphis 1.
At Atlanta 3; Chattanooga 4.

South Atlantic League.

At Columbia 5; Jacksonville 4.
At Macon 0; Augusta 1.
At Columbus 0; Savannah 1.

Virginia League.

At Norfolk 11; Lynchburg 5.
At Richmond 0; Portsmouth 4.
At Roanoke-Danville, rain.

Carolina League.

At Greenville 3; Spartanburg 1.
At Greensboro-Charlotte, rain.
At Anderson 5; Winston-Salem 2.

URGE DR. HOLMES.

United Mine Workers Call on President Taft.

Washington, D. C., June 24.—A delegation representing the United Mine Workers of America, called on President Taft today and urged the appointment of Dr. J. A. Holmes, of the geological survey, as head of the new government bureau of mines.

RALEIGH TAKES THE SECOND

Two to Nothing in Game With No Particularly Exciting Feature—Official Scorer Still "Shy" on His Figures—The Game.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., June 24.—Raleigh won against Goldsboro this afternoon in a steady going eight inning game that developed no especially exciting features. Turner's hand was hurt in the fourth inning and he was relieved by Beil.

The Tabulated Score.

Goldsboro.	AB	R	H	E
Gates, 3b	3	0	0	1
Sharpe, rf	4	0	1	0
Sterrill, 2b	4	0	0	0
McDonald, 1b	4	0	2	0
Daily, c	3	0	1	0
Evans, lf	3	0	1	1
Wolf, cf	3	0	1	1
Clancy, ss	3	0	0	0
Gunderson, p	3	0	0	0
Totals	30	0	6	3
Raleigh.	AB	R	H	E
Clemmans, lf	3	2	0	0
Simmons, 3b	3	0	0	0
Bigbie, 2b	3	0	2	0
Hobbs, cf	3	0	1	0
Richardson, 1b	3	0	0	0
Keating, ss	3	0	0	0
Jobson, rf	2	0	0	0
McCormick, c	2	0	1	0
Turner, p	1	0	0	0
Beil, p	3	0	1	0
Totals	26	2	5	0

Score By Innings.

Goldsboro 000 000 00—0
Raleigh 100 001 00—2

Summary—Bases on balls, Beil 1, Gunderson 2; struck out, by Turner 4, Beil 2, Gunderson 7; wild pitches, 3; two base hits Sharpe; time 1:40; umpire, Upchurch; attendance 600. It is still impossible to get the put outs and assists for the tabulated score.

RATES AND EXTRA SERVICE.

Coast Line Developing Its Passenger Service Into Wilmington.

The Atlantic Coast Line is maintaining its record for advancement and progressiveness, the latest move being the inauguration of additional train service between Sanford, Fayetteville and Wilmington, commencing Sunday, June 26th. There will be two trains each way between these points, which will run every day in the week. Another feature of much interest to the people along the the line as well as to Wilmington is the Sunday rates, which will become effective on the same day as the new train service and continue during the Summer excursion period. The round trip tickets will be $2.00 from Sanford; $1.50 from Fayetteville; 25 cents from Richards, and proportionate rates from all intermediate points. The tickets are to be sold only on Sundays limited to date of sale to return.

The new train will leave Sanford daily at 6:00 A. M., arriving at Wilmington at 10:35 A. M.; returning, leave Wilmington at 5:25 P. M. and reach Sanford at 10:00 A. M. This is an addition to the daily Fayetteville and Sanford train, which will continue to arive Wilmington at 8:05 P. M. and leave 8:45 A. M.

Another important change, which takes effect tomorrow is a departure of the evening train to Chadbourn and Conway. This train will leave Wilmington at 7:30 P. M., instead of 6:25 P. M., as at present, enabling passengers to spend an hour longer in Wilmington, which is particularly desirable to the Sunday Excursionists. This train also runs every day in the week. The schedule will be given in full in tomorrow's paper.

"Pertinent Paragraphs"

Bing!

Rack 'em up!

Our outfield work was perfect.

Rube passed the yellow fruit.

Dubbsy played an errorless game.

Caroll was the merchandise on third.

Dobson got two of Fayetteville's hits.

Luyster got two assists in the 5th frame.

Same score as Thursday, but an opposite plot.

The Red Birds scored a shut-out on the Giants.

Rube himself started the ball rolling in the 3rd.

It was some sort of swatfest, with willow-work galore.

The cow-bells in the Bellefry sounded like a Celestial joss-house.

Rube had Donovan's capricornus all right; atmosphered him twice.

Swats were as profuse as vents in an outspoken peekaboo shirt-waist.

Howard kept his hits scattered like butter on a Dorcas Society sandwich.

O'Halloran made a good stop of Tidy Ty's line drive in the opening chapter.

"On with the dance! let joy be unconfined!" But make it an aquatic jig.

Rube got his usual single; while Tidy Ty made a couple, and Carroll one.

The local hit list had the appearance of an Australian ballot in York State.

Gilmore rung up a two bagger, and actually loafed en route to the turn-around.

They pounded Luyster same unto some Methodist ministers in isolated districts.

And Wilson has at last won a game, blanking the Railroaders on the second try.

The Highlanders didn't apear to be out of Kilts compared to those slambanging Sailors.

The Sailors' Hornpipe, and not the Highland Fling, was the popular terpsichorean number.

Burke was the only domestic that maltreated the ozone trying to locate Luyster's offerings.

The Kilties went to pieces in the 3rd and 6th like a zig-zag puzle picture hit with a stove lid.

Fan enthusiasm was above par. Keep that commodity on tap, and show the boys you're with them.

Galvin pulled off a pretty leaping catch at the pan in choking Carroll off the hearthstone in the 6th.

Wasn't it the irony of fate that a Schumaker was the only one that had to walk during the whole exercises.

The double umpire system was in vogue, Henderson judging balls and strikes, and Davis on the pathways.

Bunting plays a tasty 3rd, handling his chances with grace, recovering, and taking his time to make heady heaves.

The Rube derricked himself out of a substantial excavation in the 6th after the first pair up had hit safely.

Were you there? If not, you missed a snappy game. Will you be there today? If not, you'll be the only one.

One Mister Brooks will take the pretzel stand this afternoon, which means there'll be some baseball at the park.

Opposed to Brooks this afternoon will be Johnny Waymack, the off-side speed peddler, so look out for a pitching game.

Gilmore dropped the pellet in the 8th, and recovered quickly enough to catch Dobson pilfering. Some swiftness, that.

So far as winning was concerned, the visitors stood about as much show as a hare-lipped step-child in a family of fourteen.

Burke performed some fine noodlework in throwing, after a stop, to the tertiary bag to catch a pathfinder, instead of making the out at first.

Klutz and Doak have been doing the bingling for the locals of late. They got a brace apiece yesterday, one of the former's being for two moves.

Bunting's stop, and Dobson's stretching twisting hand stab of the offering off Burke's bat, and the throw-in during the 5th session, was magnificient work.

The largest crowd of the season should witness this afternoon's contest with two strong evenly matched aggregations. Let's show the other towns what some people are.

Dobson attempted one armoured mauler stop that failed dismally, but redeemed himself with numerous pretty plays, one of them a running spear of Mill's foul fly along the bleachery.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

EASTERN CAROLINA LEAGUE.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Fayetteville	17	6	.739
Wilson	14	11	.560
Raleigh	12	11	.522
Wilmington	13	13	.500
Goldsboro	9	15	.375
Rocky Mount	8	17	.320

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost	P.C.
Chicago	30	17	.679
New York	32	21	.604
Pittsburg	27	24	.529
Cincinnati	27	26	.509
Philadelphia	25	27	.481
St. Louis	25	31	.446
Brooklyn	23	30	.434
Boston	19	38	.333

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost	P.C.
Philadelphia	35	19	.648
Detroit	37	23	.617
New York	32	20	.615
Boston	29	25	.537
Chicago	23	29	.442
Cleveland	23	27	.438
Washington	24	33	.421
St. Louis	14	39	.264

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Pittsburg, June 24.—A National League record for inactivity at first base was established at today's game between Chicago and Pittsburg, Hoffman, of the visiting team, failing to have a single put-out to his credit in the eight innings he played that position and but one assist. The one chance he had was Tinker's throw of Wilson's grounder in the second inning, but this he fumbled. Pittsburg won 6 to 5.

A cluster of hits off Camnitz, two passes to first, and Wagner's fumble gave the visitors their five runs in the fourth, but in the sixth Wagner's dcuble cleaned the bases and gave Pittsburg the three runs necessary to win. Phillippe held Chicago well after the threatening fourth. The Pittsburg-Chicago series now stands a tie 6 to 6.

Pittsburg .....201 003 00x—6 10 2
Chicago .....000 500 000—5 7 2

Camnitz, Philippe and Gibson; Richie, Cole, McIntyre and Archer; time 2:05; umpires Johnstone and Moran.

St. Louis, June 24.—Cincinnati today won the second game of the series from St. Louis 4 to 2. Willis had a bad start in the opening inning and the locals could not catch up with the three run lead.

St. Louis .....000 000 200—2 5 3
Cincinnati .....301 000 000—4 8 0

Willis, Pickett and Bliss; Gasper, Rowan and Clarke; time 2:20; umpires Rigler and Emslie.

Philadelphia, June 24.—Boston hit McQuillan hard and fielded perfectly today, winning from Philadelphia 6 to 4.

Boston .....210 000 012—6 10 0
Philadelphia ....022 000 000—4 6 4

Mattern, Frock and Graham; McQuillan and Moran; time 1:46; umpires O'Day and Brenna.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

New York, June 24.—New York took the last of the series with Philadelphia today 2 to 1. Ford got the better of Coombs after a great pitching contest. All the runs scored were due to errors.

Philadelphia ....000 010 000—1 3 2
New York .....000 002 00x—2 8 1

Coombs and Lapp; Ford and Sweeney; time 1:44; umpires Sheridan and Egan.

Detroit, June 24.—Lake pitched excellently this afternoon and Detroit barely averted a shut-out by bunching a single and double in the ninth with one out. Both Stroud and Willett were wild and hitable. Schweitzer's home run featured.

St. Louis .....000 042 101—8 11 1
Detroit .....000 000 001—1 4 3

Lake and Stephens; Stroud, Willett and Stanage; time 1:45; umpires Dineen and Connolly.

Cleveland, June 24.—Chicago broke even on the series of six games by winning from Cleveland today, 4 to 2. The White Sox bunched in the second after two were out and scored three runs. Olmstead was hit as hard as Falkenburg and was wild, but effective with men on bases. Seider stole home in the ninth.

Cleveland .....000 010 010—2 13 2
Chicago .....030 000 001—4 9 1

Falkenburg, Mitchell and Easterly; Olmstead and Payne; time 2:03; umpires Evans and Kerin.

Boston, June 24.—Boston took the entire series of five games by winning from Washington by 2 to 1 again today. Both of the locals' tallies resulted from errors. Hall was wild but received good support in the pinches.

Washington ....001 000 000—1 5 3
Boston .....101 000 00x—2 8 3

Gray and Street; Hall and Kleinow, time 1:43; umpires Perrine and O'Loughlin.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., June 24.—An unidentified man jumped into the Niagara river from the Second Sisters' Island this morning and was carried over the Horse Shoe Falls.

Washington, June 24.—President Taft today sent to the Senate the nomination of George M. Keeler to be postmaster at Marietta, Ga.

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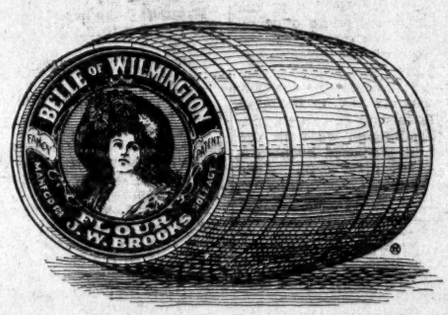

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NOTICE.

Ivory McClammy
vs.
Fannie J. McClammy.

The defendant above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of New Hanover County, to obtain a divorce from the bonds of matrimony, existing between said Plaintiff and defendant, and said defendant will further take notice that she is required to appear at the next term of the Superior Court of said county to be held on the 6th Monday before the first Monday in September, it being Monday, the 25th day of July 1910, at the Court House of said county, in the city of Wilmington, N. C. and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

JOHN D. TAYLOR,
Clerk Superior Court.

This the 23rd day of June 1910.
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AFFAIRS AT STATE CAPITAL

Tablet to Peter Francisco—Sensational Campaign in Wake Drawing to Close, Both Sides Are Claiming Victory.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., June 24.—State Auditor Dixon is engaged just now with the preparation of an address to be delivered July 4th at Guilford Battle Ground for the unveiling of a tablet to the memory of Peter Francisco, private soldier of the Revolutionary war, whose personality and career were especially remarkable. He was a Virginian and was for years after the Revolutionary war sergeant at arms for the Virginia Senate, dying in Richmond.

One of the features of the present sensational Wake county Democratic primary campaign that illustrates the unfortunate bitterness to which the fight has descended in magnifying things of no consequence has just developed in the charge made by the "insurgents" that the "regulars" have addressed letters to negroes asking for their support in the primaries. The name of a negro in a county precinct seems to have gotten mixed in a list of the Democratic voters of the section. On the other hand the "insurgent" candidates have sent circular letters appealing for support in the primaries to quite a number of Republicans, including men in the government service, active and long-standing Republicans. At the same time the "insurgents" are charging the "regulars" with planning to vote Republicans by the wholesale in the primaries.

The "insurgent" forces held their last rally last night in the county court house which was filled with an enthusiastic crowd that heard Dr. E. W. Sikes, candidate for the Senate; Hon. R. H. Battle, candidate for the House, and Campaign Chairman J. W. Bailey, in stirring speeches against "the ring" as they characterize the regular party organization. The rally was without special new features except the positive declaration of Chairman Bailey that a complete poll of the county within the past 24 hours showed that the "insurgents" will win by more than safe majorities.

The "regular" wing of the party held their final rally tonight in closing their campaign with a tremendous demonstration. County Chairman Armistead Jones asserts that the "regular" ticket will win by 1,000 or more votes. Some of the county officers say they and others of the "regular" ticket will get not less than 600 majority. It looks now like Raleigh city is sure to go by some considerable majority for the "regulars" who claim that while the country has been right much against them, they are sure of a safe majority in the rural precincts. The fact is that with due respect to the claims of both sides, the result is very much in doubt, with chances probably in favor of the "regulars."

DIXIE DEVELOPMENT CO.

New Wadesboro Enterprise to Work Along New Lines.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Wadesboro, N. C., June 22.—The Dixie Development Company has been organized by a number of business men in Wadesboro to meet a public necessity and fill what appears to be a long-felt want among farmers all over the South, especially those who have not been fortunate enough to secure homes for themselves and their families. There are a large number of farmers who have been renting land all their lives, paying one-fourth or one-fifth of their crops for rent and who have never been able yet to own a home of their own. The Dixie Development Company incorporated with a capital stock of $100,000, $20,000 of which has been paid in, has behind it sufficient authorized capital to materially assist these classes of people in securing a home, and at the same time it is thought will make ample dividends for stockholders. This company proposes to buy large and small tracts of land and divide it up into lots of such size as to enable the farmer to build a home for himself and family, and cultivate the land in such a way as to produce the maximum amount of produce which our great Southern country is capable of yielding. The company will make contracts with its renters on the usual rental basis for a definite period. And if the rent is paid promptly for the term of years agreed upon, the land will then be deeded to the renter, free of all further payments, to belong to him, his heirs or assigns. For instance, if the land yields one-third of a bale of cotton per acre, he will pay one-fifth of this amount, and if he can, by industry and intelligence, make this land produce one or two bales of cotton per acre, he will pay no more rent than what was first agreed upon. The stockholders of the company think that this plan will create the necessary incentive to action and hope of reward which will cause the renters to improve their homes and surroundings and make their lands approach the possibilities which are almost unlimited in our great Southern country.

In addition to the real estate feature, the Dixie Development Company will do a general agency business for life, fire, health, accident and bonding insurance companies. They have secured Mr. W. C. Long as general manager.

The organization of the company was completed today with the election of the following officers: President, T. F. Jones; vice president and general manager, John W. Gulledge; secretary, W. C. Long; treasurer, W. M. Morton.

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QUESTION OF BANK TAXATION

Col. John F. Bruton, of Wilson, Delivers Strong Address Upon Important Subject to North Carolina Bankers.

Perhaps no subject considered at the 14th annual convention of the State Bankers' Association, just adjourned at Wrightsville Beach, was more important or more prolific of discussion and suggestion than that of "Bank Taxation," which has become acutely vital to the financial interests of the State. Of the proceedings with reference to this important subject, more is told elsewhere in today's paper. The question was brought to the attention of the association in a remarkably fine address by Col. John F. Bruton, president of the First National Bank of Wilson, who spoke in part as follows:

At this particular season there is one subject uppermost in the mind of the North Carolina banker, and that is, the tendering by him of the capital stock of his bank for taxation valued under the law at a figure so high that from one-third to one-half of the entire annual income from an amount equal to his bank's capital will be required to pay the taxes levied thereon. If there is another business in our good old State so heavily burdened by the taxing powers let us find it and organize a consolation society.

The question of taxation is a difficult one to answer with fairness and intelligence. The protection accruing from the payment of taxes has become a matter of course; the obligations springing from the oath of citizenship are regarded more and more as theoretical; the machinery set up to aid the citizen and harmonize differences in valuations is playing the part for the tax payer that the lord high chancellor performs for the king. The stranger of tender conscience if let alone when determining the values of his taxables would furnish returns to the authorities that would have to be corrected, marked down, or passed up as the act of a freak. The customary course of some is to let the other fellow do the swearing in fixing values, and accept his sworn judgment of record as worthy to be followed.

The crux in this whole matter of taxation is how may a fair basis of values be arrived at and how properly enforced. The State seeks to aid in these respects by providing for the appointment of tax officers and equalization boards, some of whom are governed by an enlightened sense of right and others by custom, a biased judgment, or the interests of a township or county constituency. The patent blunders growing out of these conditions for which the law is not responsible but rather its non-enforcement, has been winked at or overlooked so long that their correction now might occasion the political downfall of the statesman undertaking it. Responsibility for the tax valuation of lands, live stock and other tangible subjects, no longer rests upon the consciences of the owners, notwith-standing that values on these items are now ranging at from one-fifth to two-thirds of the true values. The effect is that a part of the wealth of the State is overburdened with the support of the State and its counties and towns, the rates are high, and certain of the people are complaining, not at what our great State is doing, not at the salaries of its servants or the administration of its funds, but at the inequality in valuations and the discriminations enforced against certain subjects of taxation.

In an attempt to justify these conditions there is an effort in certain quarters to make believe that if all the lands in the State are valued by a certain measure; if all the live stock and other tangible subjects are valued by a certain other measure, and if all stocks, bonds and other evidences of debt, are valued by still another measure, that justice is done. This is far from the truth. The law provides that every subject of taxation shall be valued at its true or market value, measured by the cash dollar, vulgarly termed our unit of value. We read from Section 14 1-2 of the Machinery Act, Laws of 1909, that

"The words 'market value' or 'true value' wherever in the tax law shall be held and deemed to mean what the property and subject would bring at cash sale when sold in such manner as such property and subjects are usually sold."

There is nothing in this about classes of taxables—a tract of land, a share of stock and a blind mule are all subjects of taxation, and should be entered on the tax books at their respective true or market value in money.

There is no legal excuse for the present discrimination in the values of property and subjects of taxation. Upon reference to the Machinery Act already cited, I find that it is the duty of the Board of State Tax Commissioners

"To have and exercise general supervision over the tax listers and assessing officers of this State, and to take such measures as will secure the enforcement of the provisions of this (Machinery) Act to the end that all the properties of this State liable to assessment for taxation shall be placed upon the assessment rolls and assessed at their true value in money.

Also,

"To see that each county in the State be visited by at least one member of the Board as often as is necessary to the end that all assessing and taxation officers comply with the law and all violations thereof be punished.

It is also within their powers to compel the county Boards of Equalization, which are composed of assessing and taxation officers, to do their duty as set out in Section 18 of the Act.

"Said board (of equalization) shall equalize the valuation so that each tract or lot or article of personal property shall be entered on the tax list at its true value in money."

And the properties enumerated over which they have control in fixing true values by one and the same measure are "tracts or lots of property or articles of personal property, including stocks, bonds and shares in all incorporated companies, except such as are specifically exempt by law."

I submit that could the State Board of Tax Commissioners see their way clear to enforce the above provisions as strictly as the Corporation Commission enforces section 33 of the Act—and I am not complaining at its diligence in this—relief to the overburdened tax payers would be at hand. Tax valuations in North Carolina would be increased more than 200 per cent., the tax rates could be cut more than half, and the burdens of State support would then rest where it properly belongs—on the shoulders of all alike.

My subject is Bank Taxation, and in my investigations a few facts impressed themselves upon me.

1. That the laws governing bank taxation are so drawn as to reach every taxable cent and to raise every dollar possible.

2. That these laws are construed literally, and enforced rigidly.

3. That the laws applicable to other subjects of taxation are equally clear, but are not construed literally, or enforced with diligence.

It appears that the greatest wealth producing subjects are permitted to be valued at from one-fifth to two-thirds of their true market value. This utter disregard manifested in values is so notorious that citations are unnecessary, and the distressing feature is that the blunders are committed not against the subjects of largest income productivity, but against those yielding the smallest net returns.

A simple illustration may be helpful. A citizen has in hand $1,000 for investment. He finds he can buy with this amount a 20 acre tract of land in fair condition, and which can be rented at $10 per acre, or $200. Or he can buy eight shares of the capital stock of some good bank, which will pay him an annual dividend of 8 per cent. or $64. The land is valued for taxation at not more than $500, and is assessed in taxes not more than $10, leaving net returns of $190, or 19 per cent. on the investment. The bank stock is valued for taxation at the market price, $1,000, and in addition to the State taxes paid by the bank the owner of the stock must pay county and town taxes amounting to $12 or $15, leaving net returns of $50 or 5 per cent. on the investment. Calling my hearers to witness that the figures used in this illustration are stated conservatively, I submit that considering the small net returns from the bank stock investment occasioned by restrictive interest laws, as compared with the handsome returns from the land invesment limited by no legal restrictions, and considering the further fact that the owner of the stock is charged by the law with a double liability in favor of the bank's creditors, which by the way is a most admirable provision, the taxing powers should rather favor the bank stock in fixing its values for taxation purposes—provided of course that the State deems the banking business an institution worthy of being fostered. And I did not deem it necessary to secure as apendices to this paper the opinions on this subject of our able and conscientious Governor and his late companion in trouble, our much beloved State Treasurer.

In passing let me say here that the largest item of tax collected annually by the State of North Carolina is the difference in the interest paid by the State on its bonded debt, and the average price per cent. paid by its citizens on their indebtedness. Money is worth 6 per cent. the year round in North Carolina, and in some sections, going concerns are glad to get it at 7 and 8 per cent at certain seasons. The obligations of a State are no better than the character of its good citizens, and the State should pay the average hire for money demanded of the private citizen. In placing its bonds at 4 per cent the State simply collects annually from its resident bondholders taxes thereon in advance.

It being admitted that banks are not only worthy of being encouraged but a business necessity, and it being well known that the income to stockholders while reasonably sure is comparatively small, I submit that the fact that the stockholder is liable to the creditors of the bank for double the amount of his stock, justifies the claim that it would be nearer fair and right to fix the tax value of bank stock at fifty per cent. of its true value, even in the absence of the discrimination in tax values now in force.

There is to me a most peculiar anomaly and but poorly concealed in Section 33 of the Machinery Act fixing the method by which a bank's capital stock shall be given in for taxation. The cashier who may not have one dollar's interest in the bank except his salary, which he earns by hard work, is required to undergo a written examination under oath, doing sums and working examples in subtraction, multiplication and division, in order that the exact value in dollars and cents may be placed upon the shares of his bank's capital. On the same day and likely the same hour this same man actin- now not for the bank but for himself may give in his own property for taxation at figures determined in his own mind or fixed by the tax board of his county, without a record save the valuation figures set op osite the property designations. Why this difference in methods? There is the suggestion that as cashier he may violate his judgment as to values, perjuring himself in so doing, therefore this must be hedged against by the provisions of Section 33 under consideration. There is another suggestion, that when this law was passed our State was not favorable to capital and sought in the way complained of to punish surplus accumulations. This is no more true than the first suggestion.

Whatever might have been the reasons at the time of its adoption there are certainly at this time no good grounds for this law. I submit that it should be felt to the bank's officers and directors to value for taxation its capital stock. They are better advised as to its real value; they are generally men of the highest character, public spirited, constantly in the service of the State, their county and community, and that too without pay, and while always jealous of the rights of their bank they are also sensitively conscious of its responsibilities to the State and the public.

In reckoning values the officers and directors should, in addition to the item already allowed, deduct the cost to the bank of its real estate, furniture and fixtures, a sum of at least 1 per cent of the capital on account of the double liability of its share holders, as well as any other items figured in the bank' assets, but which do not contribute directly to its income, the net value arrived at to be subject to the same rules for correction as are now applicable to individual taxables.

There is another provision in Section 33 of the Machinery Act the enforcement of which discriminates against bank stock and its holders as the law discriminates against no other corporation in the State and that is the requirement that the owners of bank shares must pay the county and municipal taxes levied thereon. I am advised that this provision went into effect in 1900 upon the demand of representatives from certain counties having resident owners of the stock of banks located in other counties. It is insisted by those favoring this provision that the home of a bank is a mere office; that the shareholder is a depositor, and that the deposit evidenced by the certificate of stock should be taxable in the county, where the stockholder lives.

The fact that the amount of subscription from the outside county is as soon as paid converted into a bank building, United States bonds or into notes of the bank's customers, conclusively puts an end to the deposit theory—insidious, and specious in the extreme!

Now, there may be banks in North Carolina that should be regarded as mere offices, but a bank properly conducted is a great producer of business. Its location in a county increases the responsibilities of the local law officers; the courts are charged with extra work on account of the bank's business and business produced by it; the bank furnishes employment, and in many other ways its home county and town are made to feel the responsibilities incident to its operation. On these accounts the county and town where the bank is located are peculiarly justified in their claims to the taxes properly enforceable against the bank's capital. Since this law went into effect there have been a large number of banks organized throughout the State, and a change of the law would not now seriously militate against the counties which originally set up the demands now in force. I beg to submit an illustration showing the injustice of this law.

Mr. John Smith, a resident of Wilmington invests $30,000 in that beautiful little hamlet, as follows: $10,000 he puts into an industrial corporation, $10,000 into a block of brick buildings, and $10,000 into a new bank, to be operated, by the way, under its own rules. There are no better men on earth than those now engaged in the banking business of that village; there are no better, and when permitted to be, no more accommodating banks than the banks of Wilmington—but its clearing house is quite impossible! And its rules—quite too impossible! The taxes resulting from Mr. Smith's investments go to the State, the county of New Hanover and the town of Wilmington, according to the levies of each, as long as he remains a resident thereof. But he prospers and decides upon a country residence on the Sound, and the day he changes his residence the city of Wilmington loses $10,000 or more of its taxables, the tax values of his bank stock. His other investments, however, continue, to contribute their share in taxes to the city. He changes his mind again, and becoming interested in farming, moves across the river into Brunswick county, whereupon New Hanover county also loses taxables to the amount of Mr. Smith's bank stock, but there is no change in the payment of taxes on the brick block or on the stock in the industrial company. During all these years the bank and Mr. Smith's interest therein continue in the city by the sea, a subject of responsibility to the municipality and the county of New Hanover. Now, if this is fair or reasonable I am unable to see it.

But the most serious objection to the provision under discussion—in the language of a good friend of ours, noted for his practical good judgment and high conceptions of fairness, "the most iniquitious feature of the whole thing is that the share holder is compelled to pay his county, town and special taxes out of the 'measly' dividends earned by the stinting, saving and hard work of the bank's officers." The most natural result is happening—bank stock as an investment is no longer regarded as desirable and in some sections of the State nonresident stockholders are disposing of their shares, which is working a depletion of the State's working capital.

A repeal of the law would materially increase the investment value of bank stock, and thus attract outside capital, and at the same time work but little if any injury to any county of the State. In fairness to the counties where they are located, and more especially in strict justice to the stockholders every bank should be required to treat as its own obligation and pay, as per levies promulgated, its own county and town taxes due against its capital stock, to the end that the bank stockholders be relieved of of the annoying and unnecessary burdens of having to pay these taxes out of the "measly" dividends earned in spite of the low legal rate of interest allowed to be charged. This would probably increase somewhat the burdens of the bankers but he, poor fellow, in the very act of choosing his profession granted hostages to fortune, took upon himself the cares and worries of his clients, and has no claim on repose and unalloyed happiness this side of a little corner in Abraham's bosom.

MRS. WILHOIT DEAD.

Passed Away Wednesday After Illness With Pellagra.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Wadesboro, N. C., June 24.—Mrs. G. O. Wilhoit, wife of Rev. G. O. Wilhoit, of Ansonville, died at their home in that place Wednesday night after several months' illness of pellagra. The deceased was about 48 years old and a woman of fine Christian character. She was the second wife of Mr. Wilhoit, and leaves no children of her own. The funeral was conducted at Mt. Gilead yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

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48	42-86	48-80	a via Petersburg. *Daily	89-49	83-41	49
*8 40am	*7 00pm	*8 40am	Lv. ..... WILMINGTON ..... Ar.	6 15pm	9 45am	6 15pm
11 37am	10 05pm	11 37am	Ar. ..... Goldsboro ..... Lv.	2 59pm	6 40am	2 59pm
12 36pm	11 05pm	12 36pm	Ar. ..... Wilson ..... Lv.	1 52pm	5 49am	1 52pm
1 18pm	11 45pm	1 18pm	Ar. ..... Rocky Mount ..... Lv.	12 58pm	5 05am	12 58pm
.....	2 15pm	4 55pm	Ar. ..... Weldon ..... Lv.	11 30am	3 25am	.....
.....	4 00am	7 05pm	Ar. ..... Petersburg ..... Lv.	9 13am	1 40am	.....
5 50pm	a8 00am	.....	Ar. ..... Norfolk ..... Lv.	a8 00pm	*8 15am	.....
.....	4 40am	8 00pm	Ar. ..... Richmond ..... Lv.	8 15am	1 00am	.....
.....	8 00am	11 50pm	Ar. ..... Washington ..... Lv.	4 20am	9 40pm	.....
.....	9 53am	1 20am	Ar. ..... Baltimore ..... Lv.	2 46am	8 20pm	.....
.....	11 53am	3 40am	Ar. .... West Philadelphia .... Lv.	12 19am	5 44pm	.....
.....	2 15pm	6 30am	Ar. ..... NEW YORK ..... Lv.	*9 25pm	*3 25pm	.....

42-86 and 83-41 carries Pullman buffet sleeping car between Wilmington and Washington connecting with New York trains with Pullman service.

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55-89	51-83	*Daily	82-50	80-54	
*3 15pm	*5 35am	Lv. ..... WILMINGTON ..... Ar.	12 55am	1 40pm	.....
7 25pm	9 20am	Ar. ..... Florence ..... Lv.	9 05pm	9 30am	.....
11 20pm	1 35pm	Ar. ..... Charleston ..... Lv.	5 55pm	5 20am	.....
2 40am	6 45pm	Ar. ..... Savannah ..... Lv.	1 20pm	12 15am	.....
11 55am	2 20am	Ar. ..... Albany ..... Lv.	1 25am	1 55pm	.....
9 40am	1 45am	Ar. ..... Thomasville ..... Lv.	2 35am	2 05pm	.....
5 50pm	8 50am	Ar. ..... Montgomery ..... Lv.	6 50pm	6 05am	.....
7 15am	.....	Ar. ..... JACKSONVILLE ..... Lv.	9 15am	7 55pm	.....
2 05pm	.....	Ar. ..... Sanford, Fla. ..... Lv.	2 10am	2 55pm	.....
7 00pm	.....	Ar. ..... TAMPA ..... Lv.	9 00pm	10 30am	.....
8 55pm	.....	Ar. ST. PETERSBURG Lv.	.....	6 45am	.....
10 20pm	.....	Ar. .. FORT MYERS Lv.	*3 00pm	*6 45am	.....

55-89 and 82-50 Pullman service. 51-83 and 80-54 Pullman service south of Florence. *Sleeper on No. 50 may be occupied in Wilmington until 7:00 A. M.

55	51	*Daily.	32-50	54
*3 15pm	*5 35am	Lv. ..... WILMINGTON ..... Ar.	12 55am	1 40pm
7 25pm	9 20am	..... Florence ..... Lv.	9 05pm	9 30am
9 20pm	11 20am	Ar. ..... Sumter ..... Lv.	5 55pm	7 40am
11 10pm	12 55pm	Ar. ..... COLUMBIA ..... Lv.	4 10pm	*6 00am
.....	.....	Ar. ..... AUGUSTA ..... Lv.	2 30pm	.....
.....	.....	Ar. ..... ATLANTA ..... Lv.	7 30am	.....
.....	.....	Ar. ..... Macon ..... Lv.	8 55am	.....
.....	.....	Ar. ..... Chattanooga ..... Lv.	3 00am	.....
.....	.....	Ar. ..... Nashville ..... Lv.	9 30pm	.....
.....	.....	Ar. ..... Memphis ..... Lv.	1 00pm	.....
.....	.....	Ar. ..... Louisville ..... Lv.	2 45pm	.....
.....	.....	Ar. ..... CINCINNATI ..... Lv.	*10 55am	.....

51-54 and 55-50 Pullman sleepers between Wilmington and Columbia which may be occupied at terminals until 7:00 A. M. sleeper on No. 51 being ready for occupancy at 10 P. M.

57	51-97	55	*Daily	Daily except Sunday.	54	98-50	58
*6 25pm	*5 35am	*3 15pm	Lv. ..... WILMINGTON ..... Ar.		1 40pm	12 55am	8 30am
8 10pm	7 30am	5 09pm	Ar. ..... CHADBOURN ..... Lv.	*11 40am	*11 02pm	6 45am	
11 10pm	11 25am	.....	Lv. ..... CHADBOURN ..... Ar.	.....	5 00pm	6 40am	
12 45am	1 30pm	.....	Ar. ..... CONWAY ..... Lv.	.....	3 30pm	*5 15am	

53	*Daily.	52
*8 45am	Lv. ..... WILMINGTON ..... Ar.	8 05pm
11 45am	Ar. ..... Fayetteville ..... Lv.	4 50pm
12 10pm	Lv. ..... Fayetteville ..... Ar.	4 45pm
1 40pm	Ar. ..... SANFORD, N. C. ..... Lv.	*3 30pm

68	62	64	Daily except Sun. xSun. only	60	63	65
x6 45pm	3 25pm	5 50am	Lv. ..... WILMINGTON ..... Ar.	10 15am	12 50pm	6 50pm
8 30pm	5 17pm	7 48am	Ar. ..... Jacksonville, N. C. ..... Lv.	8 22am	10 55am	4 51pm
9 55pm	6 44pm	9 10am	Ar. ..... Nor & Sou. Jct. ..... Lv.	7 05am	9 35am	3 35pm
10 00pm	6 50pm	9 15am	Ar. ..... NEWBERN, N. C. ..... Lv.	x7 00am	9 30am	3 30pm

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11:00 p. m.	11:45 p. m.
12:00 p. m.	

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8:30 a. m.	7:45 a. m.
	9:15 a. m.
and every half hour thereafter until	and every half hour thereafter until
11:00 p. m.	11:45 p. m.
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Lv. Lynchburg	2:35 p m	2:30 a m
r. Cincinnati	7:30 a m	6:25 p m
r. Columbus	6:45 a m	7:05 p m
Ar. Chicago	5:00 p m	7:30 a m
Ar. St. Louis	6:33 p m	8:30 a m

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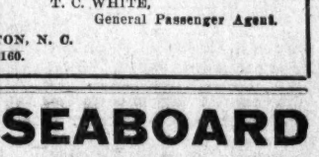

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WILMINGTON TO NEW YORK.
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Saturday, June 25, 1910.

Men who can be bought during a political campaign are cheap screws.

In order to stop the row, pay honest labor more and officeholders less.

Get right and stay right, and be sure to preserve the proof in anticipation of inevitable "aspersions."

Keep your skirts clean and when you run for an office it will be easier for you to prove an alibi.

The use of money in campaigns has come about because so many people have a receptive leaning towards the candidates.

Uncle Joe has been put out of business and Senator Aldrich got out of reach with the goods, so the Congressmen are not jumping on them like they used to.

Gifford Pinchot has been invited to Oyster Bay as the guest of Colonel Roosevelt. Does this mean that the Rough Rider is making a pet of one of Ballinger's "snakes"?

The Danville (Va.) Bee wastes a whole column in pleading for justice for the umpire. Just as soon as we let up on the umpire, President Taft would be asking for favors.

It pains us to disappoint a discriminating constituency, but we positively refuse to be dragged into the ocramble for any office whatsoever till the rules of political etiquette are revised upward.

Senator Overman is to preside at the State Democratic convention to be held in Charlotte July 14th. We are satisfied that the Senator is a parliamentarian allright, but has he studied the rules and the tactics of the umpire?

A Cincinnati woman, it is announced, is "making war on kisses." We just know that she is nothing but an insurgent and has no followers. It may be she is one of those little, old, ugly women that will sooner or later dry up and blow away.

Many a man could establish a good character in court but when it comes to taking any risk in a political "fight", that is something else. Wherefore, it is a wise man who stops to consider whether he would rather cling to his reputation or prefer to take chances on gratifying his ambition.

Solicitor Hammer, of the Tenth Judicial District, would accept a renomination, but he is not seeking it, preferring to leave it "entirely to the people." The people ought to unanimously gratify Hammer's modesty. He is a fine prosecuting officer and is a great big, honest, clean man—and, more than that, he is the editor of the Asheboro Courier. That counts some.

Quite often we note that candidates appeal to the farmer vote, or the mill vote, or the commercial vote. That is quite natural, as a politician desires to be the whole thing with the class which has the most votes, but the candidates for the offices ought to have the intelligence, the ability, the integrity and the character that appeal to all classes of voters. Otherwise it takes most all his money to get nominated and then to get elected.

In the Republican primary elections in Pennsylvania, Congressman Joseph C. Sibley received 10,446 votes and spent $40,608.83 to get the nomination over his Republican opponent. A little arithmetic shows that his votes cost him nearly $4 each. That is what campaign publicity shows, but we would prefer to know how he spent the money, who furnished him the funds, and why they were so interested in keeping their Representative in Congress.

WADESBORO'S WAY.

One of the ways to develop a State, a county or a community, and to encourage home-staying citizens and attract home-seekers can be found in the movement which has been set on foot at Wadesboro by the Dixie Development Company.

The Star is gratified to note the organization of this company and we are sure something of its plans will be intensely interesting throughout the South. It is a company chartered and scoped with a view to working practically along the lines urged by the Star at various times and in numbers of editorials. In brief, the company is a corporation with an authorized capital stock of $100,000, of which $12,000 has been paid in, and doubtless more capital will be subscribed, as that is only a starter. Enterprising and public spirited men are at the head of the company and they propose to aid small farmers or renters in securing farms and homes on terms that make it possible for them and quite feasible for themselves.

The Dixie Company's plan will appeal to a large class of people who rent farm land from year to year and pay over a portion of the crop as rent. In order to assist them in doing quite as well as under the ordinary rent system and to eventually become owners of the lands which they are to work, the company proposes to purchase tracts of farming land, divide them into lots or small farms to suit their patrons and rent them to farmers or homeseekers on the usual terms. The renter, however, will secure the additional advantage of sooner or later becoming the owner of the home and farm upon which he is located. The company will make a contract with each renter for a definite period with the provision and inducement that at the expiration of that period the land will be deeded to the renter or his heirs or his assigns.

If it is explained by one of the incorporators of the company that should the land be rented for one-fifth of the crop this would be the payment throughout the period and at the expiration of the period the land will be deeded to the renter regardless of the fact that in the meantime the land might have increased in value either by the efforts of the renter or the usual increase because of greater demand. The renter will be induced to build a home and improve it, realizing that it is actually to become his after a certain length of time.

Those enterprising Wadesboro citizens are on the right track, and as their plan is a practical one it is bound to be a success in more ways than one. It is their purpose to aid and encourage their patrons to develop their lands in the most approved manner and to introduce the most improved methods of agriculture. The stockholders are eminently justified in the belief that the plan will create the necessary incentive for their patrons to engage in a development that will improve their surroundings, give them a better showing in life, and engage in the work with the hope of reward consisting of the ownership of a home and farm that will increase in value as its possibilities enlarge.

The Star would like to see just such companies as the Dixie organized all over North Carolina, for it has in it the promise of results. It is a business proposition that can be made sound with the right kind of men back of it. The banks and capitalists of North Carolina can materially assist in just such undertakings as that which the enterprising Wadesboro people have set on foot. It will make business for them and they certainly could do no better work for the development of the agricultural and substantial interests of the State. The Wadesboro way is a practical and safe plan, and it will not only keep North Carolinians at home, but it will attract other people here, let them be called homeseekers or immigrants, what you will.

The Wadesboro way will keep North Carolinians at home because it will not only encourage them to buy themselves a farm and have their own home, but it will help them to do it. With a little assistance many a man can do more for himself and his community and will become a better citizen asset to his State. The plan of our Wadesboro friends will enable the share farmer or cropper to own his farm and home at practically what he is paying in crop shares or rents every year. There will be more hope and incentive for him, and such companies as the Dixie Development Company will find it a good and safe investment—not only in the way of profit on their capital, but in the value which will come from developing the farming resources, increasing land values, developing communities and uplifting to a higher citizenship.

Lo! A man's political aspirations lay up for him many days of trouble, tribulations and prevarications.

To a man up a tree, it appears that a man who runs for Congress has to have money as well as character and brains.

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Horsford's Acid Phosphate.
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THE EQUIVALENT ELECTION.

Throughout North Carolina today the Democrats will hold their primary elections and conventions to make nominations in some instances or elect delegates to the various nominating conventions. The result in most counties and in the judicial and Congressional districts will be equivalent to an election, because the people of North Carolina in the November election will no doubt ratify the Democratic nominations. If they don't do so they should, for the reason that the Democratic party today stands for the people and the honor of the Good Old North State. It is hoped, therefore, that the cleanest and best men will be nominated everywhere, so the party can go before the people and present its cause with confidence of success.

When we hear from the primaries today it is hoped that it will be well with the Democracy and that the nominations will tend to allay the bitterness and strife which unfortunately has marked the preliminary skirmishes between the candidates for the various offices. We do not know of any period in the history of the party when there has been so many factional fights to tend to disrupt the party and sunder the cordial relations that have existed and should be maintained between neighbors. We are not so sure, however, but that a little house cleaning now and then is a good thing. After the smoke of battle lifts, the atmosphere clears and serenity prevails over the scene of carnage. May it be so in the "fights" and "battles" which our fellow Democrats have been engaged in during the past two or three months.

It is to be regretted that in many instances some of our ideals have been shattered. In many instances our confidence has been shaken and violently assaulted. Many contestants will limp off the field wounded and sore and bedraggled. Some reputations will not be what they once were. Opinions will undergo a change and preferences will be altered. However, let us hope that the attrition, the clash and the fire of the political furnace will tend to clarify the situation and make for a clean party.

We have many regrets over things that we have heard and read. We are grieved at some things that have been done and we have been shocked at some of the methods which have been pursued by men who think more of their ambition and selfish interests than they do for the good of their party and the ultimate triumph of its principles. Nevertheless, taking the State as a whole there is not so much to be complained about and from now till November the situation will improve, passions will cool, reason will hold its sway, and North Carolina voters will go to the poles and roll up a big majority for the only party in whose hands North Carolina is safe and free from humiliation.

CURRENT COMMENT.

We have an idea it will be a limited number of people who will be nosing around the Outlook office after the fighting editor.—Asheville Gazette-Citizen.

There is a new hair tonic made of port wine, says an exchange. If this new stuff gets on the market in dry territory there will be more hair lipped ignoramuses than the present list of hair-brained ones.—Snow Hill Square Deal.

North Carolina has recently floated a bond issue of several million dollars, and it was all taken by North Carolina capitalists. That spoke well for the prosperity of the State and of the faith of its own people in its good faith. An effort has been made by outside speculators to prejudice the credit of the State because it would not acknowledge its responsibility for bonds issued in its name and without authority; but as long as the North Carolinians believe in themselves they can take care of their own indebtedness.—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

At the meeting of the bankers at Wrightsville, the secretary and treasurer of the association took occasion to refer to the matter of bank taxation as it exists in this State. "This is a matter," he said, "that is agitating the banks in all sections of our State, on account of the valuations of non-resident stockholders having their shares listed in their names for State, county and city taxation. Under the present law, capital is being withdrawn from the State that is invested in the capital stocks of our banks. Bank stock should be assessed on an equality with other classes of property and this important subject should receive the careful attention of the legislative committee, who the incoming president will, as usual, appoint, and should consist of men noted for their good judgment and conservatism. So our present law can be changed and carry out the spirit of our constitution where it says 'that all taxation shall be equal'." The complaint of the bankers is just. In North Carolina the banking institutions carry an unjust burden of taxation and just because a few years ago it was popular to "sock it to the banks." The next Legislature ought to wipe out this injustice.—Charlotte Chronicle.

The action of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad in establishing an agricultural and immigration department for the States of Virginia and North and South Carolina is to be highly commended. Mr. E. N. Clark, a capable man, has been appointed agent in charge of the bureau, and it may be confidently predicted that his work will produce results. The building up of the West has been largely through the instrumentality of the railroads which have spent their money lavishly in properly advertising the sections they traverse and in offering inducements to prospective settlers. The railroads of Canada are now engaged in that kind of work. It may well be doubted if emigration from this country to Canada would ever have reached the proportions it assumed had the railroads of the South properly advertised the oportunities of this section. The South is the garden spot of the world. It is growing faster than any other part of this country. It is the land of the future. It is not more developed than it is because people have been misinformed, or not informed at all, of what it has to offer. With the railroads conducting an active campaign to assist in the uplift of the South, we may expect a well-defined movement of population in this direction.—Charleston News and Courier.

The gratifying announcement was made several days ago that the Atlantic Coast Line will establish an Agricultural and Immigration Department, the special purpose of which will be to induce substantial Northern and Western home-seekers to come into the territory of the road. Wilmington is to be the headquarters of this new department, and while it is intended to cover the States of North and South Carolina and Virginia, we take it that the greatest effort of the department will be directed towards inducing these desirable immigrants to come to eastern North Carolina for the reason that we believe greater opportunities are offered here for the thrifty, enterprising and progressive farmers of the North and West—"men of our own stock who only need an invitation to make them come." Other great railroad systems have for years been doing effective work through their immigration departments, and we are glad the Atlantic Coast Line has also decided to engage in this most important work of bringing a desirable class of immigrants into the territory traversed by the road. What eastern North Carolina needs more than anything else now is an influx of farmers possessing a high standard of intelligence and efficiency, and we must naturally look to the Northern and Western States for this class of immigration. Instead of these people going into Canada, with its long hard Winters and bitter climate, as thousands of them have been doing for years we are told, they should be brought to the South, the land of greatest promise and opportunity, and it can be done best by just such work as the Atlantic Coast Line is now undertaking.—Mount Olive Tribune.

The doctors of the State, assembled at Wrightsville for their 57th annual convention this week, were more than repaid the trouble and expense of attending by the value of the address of their president, Dr. Edward J. Wood, of Wilmington, without counting the other advantages, social and professional, which they will derive from such attendance. Dr. Wood made three specific recommendations of vital importance throughout North Carolina and supported his position with lucid argument. First, he derires that the business affairs of the State Medical Society be transacted at general sessions of the society, and not, as at present, by a select body of members to whom such duty is delegated. This touches upon a vexed question among the doctors, and the adoption of the president's suggestion would be practically equivalent to the abolition of the society's present constitution and the framing of a new one. Again, Dr. Wood urges a closer scrutiny of the papers proposed to be read at the annual gatherings in order that unimportant matter may be eliminated, leaving greater time for free discussion of the topics presented. Lastly, he insists upon a more perfect organization for the constituent county societies. His auditors will find much food for thought in these suggestions, and it is believed by those conversant with medical opinion in various sections of the State, that some important changes are not unlikely to result. Dr. Wood's address holds interest for a wider circle, however, than is included within the bounds of his profession. Particularly is this true with reference to the emphasis laid upon the importance of the young physicians' not allowing the daily grind of his work to interfere with whatever regular habits of study he may have acquired at his medical school. "There is no greater test of a man's strength," declared Dr. Wood, "than to make him 'mark time' in the 'stand-and-wait' years." Such "stand-and-wait" years occur in many lines of human endeavor, and the manner in which a man uses his period of "marking time" has practically a determining influence upon the scope of his maturer career. Few young men—teachers, preachers, merchants, lawyers, newspaper men, or what not—would be damaged by giving the closest heed to the principle enunciated by Dr Wood with reference to his own brethren; for it is one which obtains in all these and not a few other walks of life.—Charlotte Observer.

GODWIN'S DISTRICT THE ONLY ONE THAT SHOWED A DEMOCRATIC GAIN TWO YEARS AGO.

To the Editor of the Star:—I have no desire to become inveigled into a newspaper controversy, but "Voter" in your issue of last Sunday begs the question so palpably that I only wish to say now that in my previous communication I never ascribed to Mr. Godwin alone the credit for appropriations secured for this district during his term of office. I did say, however, that appropriations for any and all purposes were secured by the joint efforts of Senators and Representatives in Congress co-operating with each other for the different districts and then proceeded to show what Mr. Godwin had been instrumental in securing for this district. It seems a little strange that Mr. Godwin's predecessors should have enjoyed the honor and distinction of securing these appropriations in the past or had a hand therein at least, when they did no more than Mr. Godwin has done, and without desiring to reflect upon anyone, failed to get even so much for the district as Mr. Godwin, co-operating with our Senators, has been able to secure for our people, as the result of his industry and efforts.

As for the campaign of abuse and mud-slinging, why I have no stomach for any such fight. The campaign has reached such a pace along this line and so many grave charges have been laid at the doors of the different candidates, that many people are already predicting that it matters not who should receive the nomination, the Sixth District is going to share the same fate as the Fifth District met with two years ago when the Democratic candidate, after passing through a similar campaign of abuse and vilification went down to a most inglorious defeat.

In view of the strenuous efforts now being made against Mr. Godwin it would not be amiss to state here that this district was the only district in North Carolina two years ago that increased its Democratic majority, every other district in the State sustaining a loss ranging from one to three thousand, while three of the districts absolutely went Republican. Would this not indicate that Mr. Godwin had served his people most acceptably during his first two years and if that is the case, pray tell us wherein the good work he has accomplished during the past year has been either a sin or a crime against Democracy or the people. If anybody doubts the statements herein made let them consult the North Carolina year book and make comparisons of the Congressional vote at the last election and the election two years before.

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THE GREAT ANNUAL
MILL-END SALE
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SPECIAL THIRTY-MINUTE SALE EACH DAY.

Wednesday Morning 10:30 to 11 and Wednesday evening 4:30 to 5 o'clock—$2.00 to $3.00 bronze and suede ankle strap Pumps for Ladies, size 2 1-2 to 6, for $1.50
Limit, two to a customer.
Ladies' and Miss' and children's $1.00 white Slippers for 65c
Thursday Morning, 10:30 to 11, and Thursday Evening 4:30 to 5 o'clock—25c cotton warp Matting 17c
Limit, one roll to a customer.
5c fancy Lawn, the yard. 3c
Limit, ten yards to a customer.

Friday Morning, 10:30 to 11; Friday evening closed at 1 o'clock—Ladies' 25c short fine Lawn Kimona 10c
And $1.00 and $2.00 ready-to-wear and fancy shape, each 25c
Limit, two to a customer.
Saturday Morning, 10:30 to 11, and Saturday Evening 4:30 to 5 O'clock—10c fancy dress Ginghams in wide range of patterns at 5c
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ONE CENT SURPRISE SALE SATURDAY, 11:30 to 12:00. Think of an article worth 25c or 50c for only one cent.

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Fasten to wood or metal bed.

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50c 72x90-inch Sheets, Mill End Sale 39c
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FOURTH OF JULY EVENTS

A Number of Athletic Stunts to be Pulled Off in Front of Lumina, Wrightsville Beach, Monday Week.

Many Wilmingtonians will journey to Wrightsville Beach Monday, July Fourth, to witness the several athletic events that will be pulled off in front of gay Lumina. The celebration of the day at Lumina becomes more and more popular every year and the programme, which has just been issued, indicates that the events will be more interesting and exciting than usual. Already there have been a large number of entries for each contest. The events will begin at 10:30 A. M. and continue until late in the afternoon.

The following are the officers selected: Referee, Mr. Chas. N. Evans; marshal, Mr. J. B. Huntington; judges, Col. John VanB. Metts and Mr. H. G. Foard; clerk of course, Mr. Chas. Dushan; announcer, Mr. Wilber Dosher; starter, Mr. L. D. Latta; scorer, Mr. F. G. Duls.

The following is the programme of events, and in each prizes will be awarded the successful contestants:

One Hundred Yard Dash (under 16 years); one hundred yard dash (16 and over); potato race (under 16 years); potato race (16 and over); flag race girls under 10); flag race (girls 10 and over); sack race (boys under 16 years); sack race (16 and over); three-legged race, 50 yards (under 16 years); three-legged race, 75 yards (16 and over); hurdle race, 120 yards (16 and over); tug of war (two minutes), one captain and five men on each side; swimming race, one-half mile (16 and over); canoe race; surf board (skill to count).

Those who have not yet entered for either of the events may do so by leaving their name and the event they wish to enter at either of the following places: Tidewater Power Co.'s office; Y. M. C. A., care of Mr. Bunting; Boys' Brigade, care of Mr. Dushan.

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GOING NIGHT AND DAY.

Plant of Acme Tea Chest Company Across the River is Busy.

During the past week or more the plant of the Acme Tea Chest Company, across the river, has been going night and day in full blast and presents a busy scene. New machinery has recently been installed and other extensive improvements made.

It will be recalled that additional machinery for a different grade of work was recently added, enabling the plant here to make the tea chests complete before shipping them to Scotland, the headquarters of the concern. This new feature of the plant, it is understood, is requiring a double shift, for day and night work.

Children's Day at Wrightsboro.

Children's Day will be observed tomorrow at Wrightsboro Baptist church, four miles from the city, on the Castle Hoynes road. The committee in charge has arranged an interesting programme, including an address by Rev. C. F. Whitlock, pastor of Brooklyn Baptist Church, and songs and recitations by the children of the Sunday School. The exercises will begin at 3 o'clock. The public is invited.

CURES PIMPLES EASY.

Simple Remedy That Clears Skin Quickly of All Eruptions.

For several weeks past J. Hicks Bunting Co. have done the biggest business it ever had in any one article in selling Hokara, the skin food that has won so many friends in Wilmington.

It has been found to be an absolute cure not only for all minor skin troubles, such as pimples, blackheads, herpes, ache, scaly scalp, complexion blemishes, itching feet, piles, etc., but for the worst sores, ulcers, or even chronic eczema and salt rheum. There has yet to be found any form of wound on disease affecting the skin or mucous membrane that Hokara does not heal, and its action is so instantaneous that those who try it are simply delighted with it right from the start.

In spite of its unusual curative powers, the price is trifling. To convince every one of its merits, they will sell a liberal-sized jar for 25 cents. And remember that if you do not think it does what it claims, you get your money back. You certainly can afford to try it on this plan.

If the skin trouble is caused by impure blood or if the bowels are inactive, use Hokara Blood Tablets. They cool and cleanse the blood and regulate the bowels in a natural way.

UNITED WIRELESS AFFAIRS.

Favorable Comment Made by New York Financial Journal.

In view of the fact that many Wilmingtonians are stockholders in the United Wireless Company and the further fact that there is much local interest in the action brought against the company by the government, the following from the Journal of Finance, of New York City, of Monday, will be read with unusual interest:

"With no desire to discuss the matter of the case instituted against the officers of the United Wireless Company or even to question the legality of the same, it nevertheless appears to us that a full and impartial investigation of all the facts and circumstances will have the effect of showing that the action of the Federal authorities may have been precipitate. During the period of its existence the United Wireless Company has been an important factor in the field to which its attention and energies have been devoted, and it has done more to develop the wireless principle than any other agency. For this the credit largely belongs to its president, Col. Christopher C. Wilson, and its vice president, Mr. Samuel S. Bogart

"As to the charges made by the government we know nothing and could not discuss the same even if we did as that is a matter wholly within the province of the court. We would say, however, it seems unlikely that Col. Wilson or Mr. Bogart would countenance any act of a questionable nature. Everyone who has followed the fortunes of corporations, the development of whose commercial interests was partly dependent on the sale of stock, is familiar with the difficulties sometimes caused by the unauthorized statements of stock salesmen.

"We have no particular interest in this matter, and are only prompted to thus refer to the same in a spirit of fair play."

Mr. J. B. Farmer, State sales agent, has received a wireless message from M. A. Kopperl, attorney and director of the company, dated New York City, Tuesday, June 21st, reading as follows: "Everything looks brighter. Hold on. I believe by Thursday will have good news for you."

ANGOLA LUMBER COMPANY.

Creditors File Involuntary Petition in Bankruptcy Against Mill.

Hon. John D. Bellamy, of the Wilmington bar, representing a large number of creditors, has filed a petition in the United States Court in this city, asking that the Angola Lumber Co., the affairs of which have been in the hands of an adjustment committee for some time, be declared an involuntary bankrupt. It is understood that the liabilities are about $316,000 while the assets will not exceed between $50,000 and $75,000 and consist principally of the plant in this city and its holding of stock in certain subsidiary companies which have been furnishing the mill timber supply. The petition has been referred to Geo. H. Howell, Esq., referee in bankruptcy for this district, who will later call a meeting of the creditors. It is alleged that the company recently committed an act of bankruptcy at a meeting in Norfolk admitting its inability to meet its obligation and placing its affairs in the hands of other parties for settlement.

The Recorder's Court.

In the Recorder's court yesterday morning David Jones, colored, and Archie King, white, each about 12 years old, were given a hearing on the charge of an affray which occurred near Second and Princess streets yesterday morning. Judgment was suspended upon the promise of the parents to give the youths a sound thrashing. George Roderick, a white man, sentenced in February to 12 months on the roads for assault with dealy weapon, judgment being suspended on condition that he leave the city for a year, returned a few days ago and was nabbed by a police officer. When arraigned again yesterday morning the Recorder decided to give him another chance, Roderick promising to leave immediately and stay away. E. D. Nixon, colored, arrested several days ago on the charge of drunkenness and resisting an officer, was given a hearing. He was found not guilty of resisting an officer and in the drunkenness case judgment was suspended.

SUNDAY SERVICES

Announcement by Wilmington Pastors For Services Tomorrow.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, corner of Fourth and Campbell streets, Rev. A. D. McClure, D. D., pastor. Services at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M., Sabbath school at 4 P. M., W. C. E. Society at 7:15 P. M. Prayer meeting and lecture Wednesday at 8 P. M. The public cordially invited, free seats. Communion at the morning service.

First Presbyterian Church, corner Third and Orange streets, Rev. J. M. Wells, D. D., pastor. Services tomorrow, Sunday, at 11 A. M. Sunday school at 9:50 A. M. Christian Endeavor at 7. Usual mid-week prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8:00 All strangers are cordially welcomed to all services.

Rev. A. D. McClure, D. D., expects to preach in East Wilmington tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock.

Stole Pistol From Residence.

While members of the family were on their front porch Thursday evening about 8:30 o'clock, a sneak thief entered the residence of Mr. D. M. McIntosh, No. 507 Orange street, and stole a pistol. Entrance was effected through a rear window on the first floor. Mr. McIntosh heard a noise as if some one was rattling window blinds about 8:30 o'clock, but no special attention was paid to it at the time. When members of the family went to retire they found the rooms had been ransacked, but the only thing missing was a pistol. It is thought that the burglar removed his shoes as the track af a bare foot was found in the back yard.

Thieves Pillaged House.

A vacant house, No. 113 North Seventh, owned by Mr. A. D. Wessell, was entered by thieves early yesterday morning and considerable damage was done to the property. It is evident that the work of the destruction was done by petty thieves, as the water pipes, as far as possible, were cut away and stolen. The house was pillaged throughout and everything available carried away.

Funeral of Mrs. Beery.

The funeral of Mrs. J. H. Beery, announcement of whose death was made in yesterday's Star, will be held from Trinity Methodist Church at 5 o'clock this afternoon, conducted by Rev. E. R. Welch, the pastor, assisted by Rev. W. L. Rexford, pastor of Bladen Street Methodist church. The interment will be in Oakdale cemetery.

MAKES ONE MORE APPEAL.

Public Slow in Contributing to a Deserving Charity.

Rev. C. F. Whitlock, pastor of the Brooklyn Baptist Church, desires once more to call attention of the public to the effort being made to help Mr. Perry Murry in replacing his mule which died two weeks ago, leaving him without money and with his crop partially cultivated. His loss was something like $200 and will be much more if he is unable to cultivate and market his crop. So far Mr. Whitlock has received $38. Subscription lists have been put in the hands of others and it is hoped that the amount will be considerably increased within the next few days. Mr. Whitlock desires to do what is done at once as the crop is suffering for cultivation and a little delay will greatly increase Mr. Murry's loss. It was hoped that at least $100 would be secured, as an animal that will do Mr. Murry's work will cost at least that amount. Any others who desire to contribute to this deserving fund may send check to Mr. Whitlock, 717 North Fifth street, Wilmington, or telephone No. 1707 and he will call for the contribution. A full report will be given in The Star when the amount is secured giving names of all contributors except where they are not known or have been withheld by request. In such cases the amounts will be credited to cash.

BROOKLYN BAPTIST CHURCH.

Pastor Whitlock Continues His Special Sermons Tomorrow.

Rev. C. F. Whitlock, pastor of Brooklyn Baptist Church, will preach Sunday morning on "What the Baptists Believe Constitutes New Testament Baptism." This is the fourth sermon in the series on "What Baptists Believe." He proposes to state clearly what his people believe and why they believe it, but will not abuse any for differing with them. At night he will preach the fourth sermon in his series to young men based upon the parable of the Prodigal Son. His special theme for the night will be "The Young Man Coming to Himself," and will be handled in a way that will be practical and interesting. Mr. Whitlock has shown how this younger son wrecked his fortune and nearly ruined himself, and he will now show how he came to himself and returned. All should hear these sermons, especially those who are not Christians. A feature of the night service will be a quartette entitled "Weary Prodical Come." There will be an open air meeting in front of the church at 7:30 P. M. All are invited to attend these meetings.

RE-OPEN ADAMS-SAWYER CASE.

Pardon Attorney at Washington so Advises Joseph S. Buhler, Esq.

Iredell Meares, Esq., of the Wilmington bar, who has been assisting with the preparation of the case, received a telegram yesterday afternoon from Joseph S. Buhler, Esq., the New York attorney who was recently here in the interest of Adams and Sawyer, the alleged mutineers serving a term in the Atlanta prison for mutiny and murder, stating that the affidavits gathered here on the recent visit of Mr. Buhler so impressed the pardon attorney at Washington that the case has been ordered re-opened at once, which very probably means that the prisoners will be pardoned. The affidavits gathered here by Messrs. Meares and Buhler include those of a number of the jurors who tried the case in the Federal Court here and it is understood that the former district attorney, Col. Harry Skinner, who prosecuted the case at the time, and United States Court Clerk, S. P. Collier, have recommended clemency for the two negroes.

REPAIRING BROKEN SEWER.

Alderman Ellis Put Hands to Work at Water and Chesnut.

Mayor Pro Tem. S. J. Ellis, chairman of the Sanitary Committee of the Board of Aldermen, yesterday morning put hands to work to repair the broken sewer at corner of Water and Chesnut streets about which there has been so much complaint recently. Alderman Ellis stated that the sewer was not only broken, but obstructed and that it would probably take several days to complete the work. The Board of Audit and Finance, at the beginning of the fiscal year, refused to make an appropriation to the Sanitary Committee to do repair work on sewers, taking the position that the work properly came under the supervision of the Street Commission, but as the Street Commission declined to do the work at corner of Water and Chesnut streets Alderman Ellis decided that it was his duty in the interest of the health of the community to have the work done before turning his force over to the Street Commission.

Mr. and Mrs. Sullivan Bereaved.

Many friends and relatives in this city will tenderly sympathize with Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Sullivan in the death of their infant daughter, Netah Marie, aged 11 months, which occurred after a brief illness with cholera infantum at 4 o'clock yesterday morning at the home of Mr. Sullivan's brother, Mr. H. C. Sullivan, No. 714 Dock street. Mr. Sullivan had been on a business trip in Richmond the past three days, but death came so suddenly that he could not be summoned in time to reach the child before the end. The remains were carried yesterday afternoon to Mrs. Sullivan's former home at Alexandria, Va., for interment.

Robert Ruark, Esq., Injured.

Many friends will regret to learn that Robert Ruark, Esq., a prominent member of the local bar, was injured at the union station yesterday morning when he attempted to crank the engine of his automobile with the spark advanced. The handle was thrown back with considerable force, striking Mr. Ruark squarely in the mouth, dislodging one tooth and breaking another. His lip was also cut through by the force of the blow.

New Hanover First!

The Star was shown yesterday a red cotton bloom from 26 acres of fine crop on the Rose Hill farm of Mr. D. L. Gore, in Cape Fear township, this county. Mr. J. H. Jones is superintendent of the farm and is to be congratulated upon his record of the "first bloom" perhaps reported in this State. Mr. Gore also has another farm in New Hanover upon which he has 36 acres of fine crop cotton.

CAROLINA BANKERS FINISH SESSIONS

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was unanimously adopted as offered by Col. Bruton and upon motion the legislative committee was instructed to take up the matter with the finance committee of the General Assembly.

The Torrens System.

One of the most important papers read before the convention was that of Mr. Henry E. Litchford, cashier of the Citizens' National Bank, Raleigh, on the "Torrens System of Land Registration," which is given in full in another column. The paper provoked lengthy discussion. Mr. J. A. Brown, of Chadbourn, said that the convention had heard some fine papers but none as important and far-reaching as Mr. Litchford's. He said that he would would like to see the convention adopt a resolution endorsing the system, but did not know whether it would be exactly proper to do so. Mr. Brown said that he was a great believer in the future of North Carolina and the development of its agricultural resources. He called attention to the present drainage law which is being taken advantage of in sections of Eastern Carolina and expressed the hope that the banks would afford a ready sale for the drainage bonds, as provided for in the bill, when they are placed on the market. Mr. J. B. Blades, of Greensboro, moved that the Torrens System matter be referred to a committee and that Mr. Brown be made chairman. Col. J. F. Bruton, of Wilson, stated that the Torrens System was now being considered by a committee of the Legislature and inasmuch as the bankers desired so many things at the hands of the next Legislature he considered it unwise to bring the matter under discussion up at the next General Assembly. Mr. J. Elwood Cox, of High Point, inquired if any State had adopted the Torrens System and he was informed that Massachusetts has such a law but it is optional with the people as to whether they shall take advantage of it. Mr. Litchford stated that the proposition was rather new to most of the bankers of the State and he thought it best to put the matter in the hands of a committee for investigation. Mr. J. Elwood Cox favored the system, but did not think it should go to the next Legislature from the bankers. He thought that Mr. Litchford should be made chairman of the committee. Mr. Brown agreed with him that the chairmanship of the committee should go to Mr. Litchford, who had given the matter considerable consideration. Mr. Carey J. Hunter, of Raleigh, stated that there were two sides to the question and that he knew that in some States where the system is in vogue the banks will not lend money without first making an investigation. There were several motions and the convention did not know hardly where it was, when Mr. W. A. Hunt, secretary, made a statement that clarified matters. He said that at the last Legislature a law was enacted creating a committee on the "Torrens System of Land Registration," and that the committee did not expect the bankers to go on record as favoring the system, but that the matter had been brought up merely for the purpose of enlightening the bankers. He suggested the appointment of a committee to co-operate with the committee from the Legislature in making an investigation. A motion of Mr. Brown that a committee of five be appointed with Mr. H. E. Litchford as chairman, carried. President Ellington named the following as the committee: H. E. Litchford, of Raleigh, chairman; J. A. Brown, Chadbourn; Lee D. Robinson, Wadesboro; J. B. Blades, Greensboro; J. Elwood Cox, High Point.

Owing to illness Mr. L. W. Norman, cashier of the Hertford Banking Company, who was down on the programme for an address on "Capital of Banks," was unable to be present, and his address was read by Col. William A. Blair, cashier of the People's National Bank, Winston-Salem. It is given on another page of today's paper.

President Ellington stated that there were present a large number of bankers who had never attended a meeting of the association before and would be glad to hear from any of them. Gen. Nelson, of Lillington, asked all to agree, not by resolution, but individually, to use the large envelope instead of the small, stating that it was not only a saving of time but of the morals of the young men in the banks who handle them.

A resolution offered by Mr. Dumay, of Washington, favoring New Orleans as the place for the world's exposition upon the completion of the Panama Canal, was adopted by a rising vote.

Mr. H. McKinnon, chairman of the auditing committee, reported that the books and accounts of the secretary and treasurer had been audited and found to be correct. The committee eported $1,467.74 remaining in the treasury.

The committee on nominations, of which Mr. J. Elwood Cox, of High Point, was chairman, then made its report, which was as follows, the same being unanimously adopted:

President—W. C. Wilkinson, Charlotte.

First Vice President—J. C. Braswell, Rocky Mount.

Second Vice President—Leake S. Covington, Rockingham.

Third Vice President—Geo. A. Holderness, Tarboro.

Secretary and Treasurer—William A. Hunt, Henderson.

Executive Committee—First district, John Biggs, Williamston; second, J. C. Hale, Wilson; third, T. A. Uzzell, Newbern; fourth, W. B. Drake, Jr., Raleigh; fifth, J. Elwood Cox, High Point; sixth, C. N. Evans, Wilmington; seventh, A. L. James, Laurinburg; eighth, W. H. White, Salisbury; ninth, J. F. Orr, Charlotte; tenth, L. E. Bayless, Murphy.

Legal Department—Hon. S. F. Mordecai, dean of Law School, Trinity College, Durham.

Committee on Bills of Lading—John F. Bruton, chairman, Wilson; A. W. McLean, Lumberton; W. H. Twitty, Charlotte.

Legislative Committee—John F. Bruton, chairman, Wilson; Charles E. Johnson, Raleigh; A. L. James, Laurinburg; J. A. Long, Roxboro; J. Elwood Cox.

Col. J. F. Bruton, chairman of the committee on resolutions, made his report. The first was relative to good roads and was to the effect that the bankers favor the appropriation by the State of a certain amount annually to be used by counties desiring State aid and where they meet the conditions and also endorsing the use of State convicts in counties desiring such labor. The resolutions were very similar to those adopted by all the other associations that have met at the beach this year. The resolutions were adopted upon motion of Mr. J. Elwood Cox. The second resolution was the customary resolution of thanks, adopted by a rising vote. Thanks were returned to the officers of the association for the largest attendance in the history of the organization; to the Wilmington Clearing House Association for the delightful entertainment provided; Tidewater Power Company, for brilliant dance at Lumina; Col. H. H. Ludlow, in charge, and other officers at Fort Caswell, for the reception and entertainment at the fort; citizens generally of Wilmington and the beach; newspapers of Wilmington, and a "God bless you" for the ladies.

Secretary Hunt read a letter from the management of the Atlantic Hotel, Morehead City, inviting the bankers to hold their next meeting at Morehead. Telegrams of greetings were received from Mr. Samuel Wittkowski, of Charlotte, and Mr. J. C. Robinson, of Robinsville.

After the officers for the ensuing year had been installed, Mr. Herbert W. Jackson, a former president of the association, now a prominent banker of Richmond, Va., was called upon for an address. Mr. Jackson responded briefly stating that it was a great pleasure to know of the great success of the association the past year. He said that the association was doing a great work in North Carolina. The convention then adjourned sine die.

American Bankers' Association.

Immediately after the adjournment of the North Carolina Bankers' Association the members of the American Bankers' Association, who were present, held a meeting, being called to order by Capt. J. P. Sawyer, president of Battery Park Bank, Asheville, and vice president for North Carolina of the American Bankers' Association. Upon motion, Mr. H. E. Litchford, of Raleigh, was elected secretary of the meeting. The first matter before the meeting was the election of a vice president of the American Bankers' Association. Mr. J. Elwood Cox, of High Point, stated that the incumbent, Capt. Sawyer, was named recently to fill the unexpired term of Mr. Jackson, who removed to Virginia, and moved that Capt. Sawyer be elected to the office for the coming year. The motion was seconded by Mr. W. C. Wilkinson and carried.

Upon motion of Col. J. F. Bruton, seconded by Mr. Cox, H. C. McQueen, of Wilmington, president of the Murchison National Bank, was elected as a member of the nominating committee of the next convention of the American Bankers' Association.

Col. Bruton, member of the executive council of the American Bankers' Association, appealed to the members present to urge other bankers in North Carolina to become members of the National organization, stating that the annual dues are small and the benefits to be derived by membership in the organization great. There being no other business the meeting then adjourned.

LAURINBURG'S FOURTH.

Boosters' Club in Charge—The Cotton Crops—Lightning.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Laurinburg, N. C., June 24.—A club known as the "Laurinburg Boosters" has been organized and is already making preparations for a big initial day on July 4th. Funds have been subscribed with which to excel anything that has ever happened of the kind in the town. The following is to be the programme for the day: Trotting races, automobile races, wheelbarrow races, greasy polers, the big league game, running races, foot races, pie eaters and fireworks at night. The day is being extensively advertised and hundreds of visitors are expected to be present.

The extreme hot weather is having the desired effect upon the cotton crops. Cotton has been blooming for several days. One stalk brought today five blooms. Indications now point to a good crop.

Emma Morrison, colored, living on Mr. F. C. McCormick's place, about two miles south of Laurinburg, was killed by lightning yesterday evening during an electrical storm which passed over this section. The woman had started home from a neighbor's across the field and was struck in the field some distance from any tree or stump. The smoke from her clothing attracted the attention of Mr. W. V. McColl, who upon investigation, found her dead.

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is how to make herself attractive. But, without health, it is hard for her to be lovely in face, form or temper. A weak, sickly woman will be nervous and irritable. Constipation and Kidney poisons show in pimples, blotches, skin eruptions and a wretched complexion. But Electric Bitters always prove a godsend to women who want health, beauty and friends. They regulate Stomach, Liver and Kidneys, purify the blood; give strong nerves, bright eyes, pure breath, smooth, velvety skin, lovely complexion, good health. Try them. 50c. at Robert R. Bellamy's.

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WEDDED AT WADESBORO.

Miss Stella Lawson the Bride of Mr. S. L. Brigman.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Wadesboro, N. C., June 24.—A very simple but beautiful wedding was that which took place on Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Lawson on Lee avenue. The contracting parties were Mr. Samuel Jearld Brigman and Miss Stella Lawson. Miss Lawson made a very handsome bride in a becoming going away gown of grey. She is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Lawson, a talented young woman and quite a favorite with her friends. Mr. Brigman holds a responsible position in the Seaboard offices here and is held in high esteem.

The attendants were Mr. E. H. Massey and Miss Ethel Patrick, and the ceremony was performed by Rev. R. M. Mann.

Only the immediate family and intimate friends were present. The bride and groom left on the 7 o'clock train for an extended bridal tour of the Northern cities.

PEACE INSTITUTE.

Attention is called to the advertisement of Peace Institute in another column of this paper. Peace is one of the oldest colleges for women in the South, and is recognized as one of the very best. One of its strongest features is it limits its number of boarders to one hundred and so it gives each student personal attention. Those who wish to enter should apply early.

Kept The King at Home.

"For the past year we have kept the King of all laxatives—Dr. King's New Life Pills—in our home and they have proved a blessing to all our family," writes Paul Mathulka, of Buffalo, N. Y. Easy, but sure remedy for all Stomach, Liver and Kidney troubles. Only 25c. at Robert R. Bellamy's.

TEACHERS' TRAINING SCHOOL.

Trustees Meet at Greenville and Are Well Pleased With Things.

Greenville, N. C., June 22.—The board of trustees of the East Carolina Training School will hold its annual meeting in Greenville today at 9:30 A. M. Several members of the board, Messrs. J. G. Joyner, J. C. Parker, A. C McDowell and ex-Governor T. J. Jarvis, are in Greenville today inspecting the buildings and grounds and closely examining the class room work. These men are delighted with the way the school is availing itself of the opportunity for work. Many of them are greatly surprised at the scope and strength of the Summer school for teachers now in operation.

The session today promises to be a long one as the board, a full quorum of which will arrive in Greenville tonight, has the business of a whole year to examine into and to decide upon the policy and plans of the institution for the coming year.

WANT MAIL SERVICE.

Would be Great Benefit on New A. & Y. Train to Sanford.

Editor Star:—Now that the A. C. L. has consented to put double daily service on the A. & Y. division between this city and Sanford, let us secure the full advantage of the same by moving at once for a mail service with clerks on the new trains. The advantage will be large and I hope that our efficient Chamber of Commerce and other organizations will take steps at once to give us the benefit of this service. Respectfully,

J. N. JONES,

June 23rd, 1910.

"Angels' Serenade"

"Whispering Flowers," "Three Twins," "Tales of Hoffman," overture "Queen of the Nile," "American Patrol," a harp solo and others at the Lumina concerts tomorrow.

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SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Brief Mention, News of Societies, Meetings, Etc.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Weil, of Goldsboro, are guests at The Tarrymoore Hotel, Wrightsville Beach.

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The arrivals at the Seashore Hotel yesterday included Miss Elizabeth Conrad, Charlotte; Mrs. Samuel B. Jones and Miss M. Moore, Spartanburg, S. C.

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Miss Addie Springer, of Philadelphia, Pa., has arrived and will spend a part of the summer with her brother, Mr. J. A. Springer, at the cottage of the family on Wrightsville Beach.

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Miss Lizzie S. Branch leaves this morning for Greensboro, N. C., to visit her sister, Mrs. Benj. Brothers and other friends and relatives. She expects to be away for three or four weeks.

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Mrs. John J. Fowler and daughter, Miss Nellie Fowler, are visiting relatives and friends at Sumter, S. C., and attending the annual tournament of the South Carolina Firemen's Association being held there.

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Gen. Julian S. Carr, of Durham, who was here in attendance upon the annual meeting of the North Carolina Bankers' Association, was the guest yesterday of Mr. W. B. Cooper, president of the American National Bank.

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Mr. Chas. Cline, a prominent banker of Huntersville, N. C., has been spending several days in the city visiting his sisters, Mrs. James A. Smith, Mrs. B. A. Merritt, and Mrs. A. G. Warren, and has also been attending the Bankers convention at the Beach.

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Miss Edith Pou, of Raleigh, and Miss Margaret Treadway, of Dubuque, Iowa, and Messrs. Hugh Thompson, John Boushall and Harry Smith, of Raleigh, are guests of Miss Annie Worth at a pleasant house party being given by her at the beautiful Sound residence of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. W. Worth, at Greenville.

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Captains Marine and Gornte had the largest fishing party of the season outside in the launch Atlanta Thursday at the beach and a fine catch of trout and pig-fish were caught, over 175 having been landed. In the party were: Dr. H. F. Glenn, Gastonia; Dr. J. N. Anderson, Albermarle; Dr. W. J. Strickland, Monroe; Dr. W. A. Monroe, Sanford; Dr. M. L. Matthews, Cameron; Dr. G. A. Brown, Ulla; Dr. W. D. Gilmore, Mooresville; Dr. J. D. Edwards, Siler City; Dr. S. P. Haitch, Sanford; and M. W. D. Pharr, Mooresville.

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Among the visitors registered at the Tarrymore are: Mr. J. S. Jones, Miss Bessie Jones, Mr. Wyatt McKinnon, and Missses Genevieve McMillan and Allie Pearsal, of Red Springs; Mr. C. U. Butt and wife, Charlotte; Gen. Julian S. Carr, Durham; Geo. Turner, Atlanta;; Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Lloyd and Miss Sallie DuBois, Dillon, S. C.; Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Tanner and Miss Sarah Tanner, Charlotte; Mr. Richard L. Duffy, Newbern; Mrs. L. P Thomas, Charlotte; Mr J. R. Thompson, Lake Waccamaw; C. W. Scruggs, St. Louis, Mo.; R. Phifer, Monroe; A. W. Peace, Lumberton; W. H. S. Burgwyn, Weldon; N. C.; Alex. Webb, Raleigh; D. O. Daniel, Southport; and J. J. Loughlin, Southport.

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TENREDED DELIGHTFUL SURPRISE PARTY LAST NIGHT.

At their cottage on Wrightsville Beach Messrs. Isaac and Samuel Bear were tendered a delightful surprise party last night in the form of a champagne supper, given by a number of their friends previous to their departure for Europe within a few days. They will sail on the steamer Kaiser Wilhelm II, July 5th. In the party were: Mr. and Mrs. L. Bluethenthal, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Jacobi, Mr. and Mrs. S. Solomon, Mr and Mrs. B. Solomon, Mrs. L. B. Frank, Mrs. S. A. Schloss, Mrs. Louis Schiff, Charlotte; Messrs. E. I. Bear, Irving Bear, Freddie Bear, Joe N. Jacobi, A. David, Louis Goodman, Dr. T. S. Burbank, William Goodman, Isaac Bear, Jr., and Sol Weil, of Goldsboro.

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There were several successful fishing parties off Wrightsville Beach. Col. Thomas Garrett, of Augusta, Ga., a guest at the Seashore, was the host yesterday morning of a children's fishing party. In the party were Mrs. Garrett, Miss Garrett, of Augusta; Masters Chas. Nunnnelley, Frank Lease, Edward Broyles, Oscar Lease, Miss Broyles and Mrs. C. F. Nunnelley, of Atlanta, Ga. The party was out only two hours and more than 100 fine fish were caught. Master Nunnelley, of Atlanta, made the highest catch, hooking 18. The trip was made in the sharple Vergea May, Captain Wells. The following composed another party out from the Seashore yesterday: Dr. W. C. Jaringan and Dr. Hindman, of Atlanta, Ga., and Mr. W. C. Carrington, of Spartanburg, S. C., going out in the launch Hornet, Captain Oscar Salter. The party caught over 200 fish.

ANNUAL OUTING YESTERDAY.

St. Paul's Lutheran Sunday School at Carolina Beach.

Members of St. Paul's Lutheran Sunday School had their annual outing at Carolina Beach yesterday and the day was most pleasantly spent by all. The steamer Wilmington made two trips to the pier, leaving on the first trip at 9 A. M. and the second at 2:30 P. M. Most of the children and other members of the Sunday School went down in the morning, but quite a number went down in the afternoon. Rev. W. A. Snyder, pastor of the church, and the superintendent and teachers, accompanied the children. The party returned to the city at 7 o'clock and all declared the day most pleasantly spent.

At the Bijou Today.

"A Critical Situation" and "Adam II" are the titles of the pictures that will be shown at the Bijou today. The first named is a funny picture which will be appreciated by all who witness its presentation and the second shows to what lengths animal intelligence may be trained.

LOCAL DOTS.

—Mary Susan McGee, colored, was arrested yesterday morning on a peace warrant sworn out before Justice Bornemann by Mary Hollins, colored. The trial is set for 1 o'clock this afternoon before Justice Bornemann. Herbert McClammy, Esq., will represent the defendant.

—A trolley wire on the north side of Princess, near Eighth street, broke about 10 o'clock last night, and passengers coming in from the beach had to be transferred at Ninth street. The company's linemen went to work at once to repair the wire, but could not make much progress in the rain.

—Deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows: Solomon Sternberger and wife to J. Robt. Williams and wife, for $300, lot on northeast corner of Ninth and Kidder streets, 66x150 feet in size; Thomas E. Wallace and wife to Charles C. Chadbourn, for $100, property on north side of Meares, 143 feet east of Third street, being part of lots 4, 5 and 6.

—The British steamer Barnton, Capt. Ross, probably the last steamer to receive cotton for foreign export from the port of Wilmington this season, cleared yesterday for Bremen with with 6,211 bales, valued at $485,000. The steamer received her cargo in exactly one week from the time of arrival. The vessel and cargo are by Alexander Sprunt & Son.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. J. E. Register, of Fayeteville, was a business visitor to the city yesterday.

—Mr. Thomas Lindsey, of Durham, was registered at The Orton yesterday.

ATLANTA CITY SALESMEN.

More Than 1,000 Georgians Expected at Beach Next Week.

The hotels and boarding houses at Wrightsville Beach have been crowded to their utmost capacity this week with regular Summer guests and visitors to the several annual meetings and the crows next week will be equally as great. More than 1,000 persons are expected to arrive Tuesday from Atlanta, Ga., to spend the remainder of the week at the seashore, the occasion being the annual outing of the city salesmen of Atlanta. In addition there will be probably 400 lawyers and members of their families on the beach for the annual convention of the North Carolina Bar Association, which will be in session at the Seashore Hotel Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

The following from a recent Atlanta paper tells something of the plans for the outing of the salesmen:

"The city salesmen of Atlanta are now making preparations for their annual outing, and the indications are that the event will be one of the most enjoyable and probably the best attended the city salesmen have ever had, something like one thousand Georgians having directed the reservation of tickets.

"At Wrightsville Beach the salesmen will entertain themselves, members of their families and their friends this year, and extensive preparations are being made at the beach for the Georgians.

"The outing begins next Monday, June 27th, and will last until Saturday of that week, when the merrymakers will come back home refreshed and strengthened for a campaign of hard work. The committee of arrangements, composed of F. E. Kibler, R. L. Harwell, L. B. Lowe, J. A. Massey, W. G. McNair and H. L. Simmons, has arranged for two special trains to leave Atlanta Monday morning next. One train will be made up of Pullman coaches excessively, while the other will be composed of day coaches. The first train, the Pullman, will pull away from the old passenger station over the Seaboard Air Line Monday evening at 6 o'clock, and will arrive at Wrightsville at 9 o'clock the next morning. The day coach train will pull out over the same route, a half hour later, and that relative time will be kept up between the two trains to the beach.

"So far nearly one thousand tickets have been reserved by application to the committee on arrangements. The four days at the beach will be made interesting for the excursionists, as the committee now has in course of preparation a programme for each day of events that will be found of interest to the members of the party. The return trip will be made on Saturday. During the entire week the wholesale houses of the city will not have a man on the streets, the wholesalers thereby showing their appreciation of the hard work the city salesmen are doing every day of the week for their different houses.

"W. G. McNair is president of the city salesmen, while T. A. Massey is secretary."

The Georgians will have the Tarrymoore Hotel as their headquarters and Manager W. J. Moore and his capable corps of assistants will do everything possible for the comfort and pleasure of the visitors.

STREET COMMISSION

Special Meeting Yesterday and Minor Contracts Awarded.

The Street Commission held a special meeting at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon for the purpose of discussing plans for street work. Captain Louis Belden, the chairman, presided and all members were present: Messrs. W. L. Parsley, W. E. Worth, R. H. Brady and George Heyer. City Engineer C. R. Humphreys was also in attendance. The Commission was in session until 5:30 o'clock, but aside from awarding a few minor contracts for materials for repair work nothing of general interest was done.

Mr. Cowell Gets Orton Shop.

Mr. Jack Cowell has leased The Orton barber shop and will run it in addition to his present place of business on Market street, re-opening the place next Monday morning. Mr. Cowell has placed Mr. Harry Pyle in charge of The Orton shop and with six competent barbers will be prepared to give the best service to the public.

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THE TORRENS LAND SYSTEM

Question of Registration of Titles Subject of Interesting Address by Mr. Litchford Before State Bankers' Association.

"The Torrens System of Land Registration" was the subject of an interesting address yesterday before the State Bankers' Association by Mr. Henry E. Litchford, cashier of the Citizens' National Bank, of Raleigh. Mr. Litchford said in part:

Of all the classes of security required by the banks and the money lender none is more secure, none more stable than our greatest asset—real estate. And still, because of the many difficulties surrounding it it is slowest and least available. Think of it, the national banks of the country, which represent so many millions of dollars of capital and resources are absolutely prohibited from lending money on real estate, nor are they permitted under the law to acquire real estate except for purposes of providing themselves with banking houses! They are allowed to "buy in" real estate to secure them from losses on acount of "debts previously contracted," but in such cases they are required to dispose of such property as early as practicable.

Banks doing business under State charters do lend money on realty, but no well regulated bank of this kind will invest more than a small percentage of its assets in this way. There are reasons for this state of things, which are sound and commend themselves to the good judgment of the business public, but there are many who do not understand them and in consequence criticise the banks—National Banks especially. I take this occasion to endeavor to make plain some of these reasons.

Disqueting uncertainty attends every real estate transaction, even though the most careful and responsible attorney may spend many days in laborious effort to ascertain the title to be clear. The laws in regard to real estate are practically the same today as they were more than a hundred years ago, while the commercial laws are ever changing, keeping pace with the great strides our country is making in all lines of activity. That these laws governing real estate are inadequate and confusing is well known to every one.

Evils of the Present Land Laws.

Only evidences of titles are recorded. Hence all the evidence must be examined every time and the difficulty danger and labor increases with every transfer. This causes increasing delays and cost, besides augmented uncertainty.

Much important evidence is not recorded, but is altogether "in pais", particularly evidence concerning the true heirs of decedents. This adds to uncertainty and fills the past with ghosts that, not only haunt, but frequently takes actual possession of lands transferred to their detriment.

There is no certainty of identity to parties. The examiner relies wholly upon seeming identity shown by index to deeds, but there may be many "John Smiths."

There is no proof of legal capacity of parties at time deed was delivered.

No certainty about marriage or divorce.

Rights of dower or curtesy may spring up.

Lands may be subject to rights by adverse posession or prescription of which there is absolutely no record.

Rights may arise under wills impeached or established years after ex parte probate; and the statute gives an additional reservation in favor of infants.

There is no certainty about boundaries under our present system.

The law of title by eminent domain may not appear by ordinary examination of the deed books.

Laws of title by reversal of decree of court may not be shown by the deed books.

Conflicts of patents and interlocks will not appear by ordinary examination. The chain may be faultless, while the original link is worthless.

Indexes are imperfect and fatal mistakes may be made by omissions or other defects.

"Court Titles"—those passing through suits—are not even certain.

Questions of proper parties and procedure must be determined by each examiner, thereby causing ceaseless examination of titles, entailing delay and expense.

Titles are dependent upon the opinion of each examiner, and doubts may be raised and clouds cast by each one. The character of every man's property is, therefore, subject to destructive or costly libel or slander by any irresponsible examiner. One may buy on the opinion of an expert and be prevented from selling by the opinion of a novice.

The difficulties, dangers and cost of examining titles grow with increasing records.

No certainty can be attained with rare exceptions, and absolutely none can be maintained.

Though all questions of title be judiciously settled today others may arise under the present system with every transfer.

Real estate is sold for the nonpayment of taxes, but even then the State does not guarantee or protect the title to the land so sold.

The State should take no more than her just due. She should give absolute titles to the property she undertakes to sell. The sale should be made on the premises after proper advertisement and the proceeds should be dealt with as if arising from the enforcement of a deed of trust. Under these circumstances a sound article being sold, the property would bring its full market value, and the surplus proceeds of sale, after the satisfaction of taxes and every cost and charge should be paid over to the previous owner. This is equity, and would prevent legalized robbery of the poor and do away with a system to which the State is now a party, but from which she derives no peculiar benefit.

The consequent results of our present system are:

1. Transactions in real estate are curtailed by the uncertainty and the insecurity of titles—by delays in transferring titles—by costs of transferring titles.
2. Uses of real estate are lessened.
3. Values of real estate are lowered.
4. Unnecessary burdens are imposed on real estate and the large body of the people—the small owners—are the chief sufferers.

These evils may be cured by the adoption of the Torrens System of Registration, which has proven a success in Australia, England, Germany, Denmark, Sweden, Norway, Russia, the German Cantons of Switzerland and in seevral States of our Union: Illinois, California, Massachusetts, Montana, Minnesota, Oregon, Colorado, and has been sanctioned by our Federal government by introduction in the Philippines, Hawaii and Porto Rico. It operates in the following way:

A title is examined once officially and confirmed by order of court. That ends the matter and cuts out the endless examination of titles as is now the case. The State guarantees the title, standing as an immense barrier between the owner of the property and all possible harm. The State is paid a reasonable fee to cover the expense of investigation and a small premium on account of an insurance fund or guarantee fund. (Every time a transaction is now made in real estate a new lawyer has to be employed to examine and pass upon the title, which title, no doubt, may have been investigated, and passed upon a hundred times before, each time at great expense with attendant tedious delays, all of which labor, expense and delay go to waste so far as future purchasers or future lenders of money are concerned. And the fee of the attorney is uncertain, as it is a matter of private contract not regulated by law. And, by the way, a lawyer who passes upon a title and declares it to be good makes his own estate liable in the event of difficulty arising from any oversight on his part. This is why lawyers appear to be charging too much for investigating titles when really they are not.)

Your title is registered and you have made a permanent improvement which will last as long as the law prevails and will not call for betterments or repairs. You are then given a certificate of title, which guarantees to all the world you have such a title as is set forth. You can then deal with this certificate of title as freely as with a certificate of stock or with a bond, because everybody can see from the certificate exactly what the title is. The State guarantees the work of its examiners. You hold an unquestioned certificate of ownership of your property. All doubts and dangers are removed. If you desire to sell your property, no further examination of title is necessary. The certificate itself shows the condition of the title. The purchaser practically buys your certificate. He carries it to the proper transfer office with your deed to him, surrenders the certificate which is cancelled and a new one is properly issued in the name of the buyer. Should you desire to borrow money on your property from a bank your certificate is handled by the bank in practically the same way as it would a certificate of stock in a cotton mill, a railroad company or any other corporation. A transaction which should consume only a few moments of time.

This will put your real estate on a footing with your personalty, and not only so, but give opportunity for adding millions of dollars to the banking and business capital of North Carolina. Land grabbers will have to go out of business. The State will be enabled to colect her taxes promptly and no man's land, when thus registered, can be sold for delinquent taxes without his knowledge. Everybody who deals in real estate will be benefitted. The cost of transactions in realty will be lessened. The market will be stimulated and enlarged and values will, of course, be greatly increased. An influx of immigration would be a result.

(I estimate to have the title to one's real property in North Carolina registered under the Torrens System should average $25 plus the premium of, say, $2 for insurance or guarantee. The cost of future transfers should be only about $1.50 to pay transfer and insurance charges.)

The small investor will be greatly encouraged to deal in real estate for he will then be able to procure small loans on short time from the banks with trifling expense, whereas now the same is impossible.

Another thing to be considered is, a man thus borrowing money can do so confidentially and not have the public know, as is now the case, when he executes a mortgage on his property. A man today to pledge his realty injures his credit, as it is regarded as a rather suspicious transaction, evidencing financial weakness. It should be made so that he can use his real property in like manner as his stocks or bonds or notes or accounts—quickly—at little expense, for short time, and for such amounts as his demands require—and confidentially.

The introduction of the Torrens System in North Carolina would mean to the people and the banks an increase in bankable resources of three hundred million dollars—six times the present resources of all our banking institutions, and I believe the saving in five years would be a sum sufficient to macadamize every country road in the State.

The greatest good to be derived, however, is encouraging the purchase of land, for "the small land holders are the most precious part of a State."

The State claims to be the owner, the original and ultimate owner of all her lands. This ownership first appears in her land grants and is now found in the exercise of the right of eminent domain, escheat and the levying of taxes. Claiming and exercising these original rights and sovereign powers, it is the duty of the State to grant good titles to her citizens and to enable them to keep their titles good under the just administration of equitable land laws. This plain duty has never heretofore been performed by the State, and the time has now come when she should meet her high obligation in this regard.

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PROPER CAPITAL OF BANKS

Address of Mr. L. W. Norman Before State Bankers' Association at Seashore Hotel, Wrightsville Beach.

One of the most interesting papers of yesterday's sessions of the State Kankers' Association was that by Mr. L. W. Norman, cashier of the Hertford Banking Co., of Hertford, N. C., upon the subject of "Capital of Banks." Mr. Norman's paper was read by Col. W. A. Blair and was as follows:

Mr. President, Gentlemen and Friends of the North Carolina Bankers' Association.

When I received an invitation from our honorable secretary, Mr. Hunt, to address you upon the advisability or unadvisability of establishing banks in North Carolina with a capital of less than $10,000, my first impression was favorable to the small banks. However, upon more mature deliberation I came to the conclusion that my impression was the result of pure selfishness. You know the most of us cashiers are elected annaully, and we cannot always tell just how our constituents are going to vote, and it occurred to me that a time might come when it would be necessary for me to scrape up $5,000 and start one of these small banks, and render philanthropic service to my friends by getting their deposits and investing them to suit myself. I believe there is a tendency in most small banks for the directors to use most of the funds of the bank for their own purposes and advantage, and when the small borrower and public in general want a loan the cashier is compelled to say, "we exceedingly regret that we cannot accommodate you, as our loans are already at high water mark."

About ten years ago there were less than one hundred banks in the State, and I believe the Corporation Commission was more or less favorable to the small banks at that time, but now the Commission thinks differently. If there is any one business more than another that needs competent service, it is the banking business, and it is unnecessary to mention that the revenues from a small bank will not justify the employment of qualified men. Consequently, sooner or later, the affairs of the bank get mixed up—books will not balance—and the only way to find out how the bank stands is to take an inventory. Now the larger banks, with their up-to-date systems, competent men and large resources, have no troubles of this sort with which to contend, and are ever ready to relieve the distress of the unfortunate, and to assist the investor, and business men in the prosecution of their schemes. The small bank has no inducement for the cashier who aspires to make a reputation as a financier; while on the other hand the large bank offers abundant opportunity for the bright man to become famous. Right here I take pleasure in calling attention to a few of my good friends who have risen head and shoulders above their fellows, and whose reputations and positions are to be envied, Mr. Elmer E. Whitaker, cashier of the Hanover National Bank, New York, who has been foremost in aiding Southern institutions when in need; Mr. W. O. Jones, assistant casnier of the National Park Bank, New York, who has honored us with his presence and good council in the most genial manner; Mr. John M. Miller, Jr., First National Bank, Richmond, Va., who has gone from a Tar Heel to a F. F. V.; Mr. Hugh M. Kerr, cashier of the National Bank of Commerce, who has within the last decade revolutionized the banking business in the city of Norfolk, and made it one of he foremost commercial centres in the South. Mr. Kerr, with his good address and high judgment, has ever ready a pleasant reply to every question propounded, and has won for his bank a wide correspondence and popularity which has made his bank great. Mr. C. N. Evans, of Wilmington, N. C., whose efficiency in the banking business has brought him rapid promotion to positions of high trust; Mr. W. T. Old, of Elizabeth City, N. C., whose judgment and attention to business has won for him high positions of trust in financial circles.

Mr. President, permit me to say in conclusion that the recent invention of the Postal Savings Banks will practically put the small banks out of successful existence.

The Hertford Banking Company, now nine years old, with a capital of $15,000, and with an earned surplus and profits exceeding the capital stock, after paying eight per cent. dividends, has a proud record, never having lost one dollar in loans or overdrafts, and yet we feel uncomfortably small since the Postal Savings Banks have become a certainty; and should you hear any noise from the neighborhood of Hertford you need not be alarmed, as it will only be the Hertford Banking Company shaking off its mortal coil and making a bound into the National Banking business, and have lithographed on our stationery—"United States Depository."

Thank you, gentlemen, for your indulgence, and the association for the honor conferred.

"Angels' Serenade"

"Whispering Flowers," "Three Twins," "Tales of Hoffman," overture "Queen of the Nile," "American Patrol," a harp solo and others at the Lumina concerts tomorrow.

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FINANCIAL and COMMERCIAL

BETTER SHOWING FOR COTTON

Market Was Generally Steadier Yesterday With Closing at Advance of 1 to 8 Points—Activity in July Sales-Conditions.

New York, June 24.—The cotton market made a generally steadier showing today and closed steady at a net advance of 1 to 8 points. The opening was steady at a decline of 3 points to an advance of 2 points, and during the early trading the market ruled unsettled owing to July liquidation or selling against cotton to be brought here for delivery.

In fact there seemed to be quite a little July for sale ahead of the first notice day next week and at first the bulls seemed disposed to buy only on a scale down. But after a decline from 15.02 to 14.92, the bull leaders became aggressive bidding for large blocks offerings were soon absorbed, and later the prices rallied steadily from the lowest. Cables were a little lower than due, but weather reports showed continued dry conditions in the interior of Texas so that new crop positions were rather slow in following the early decline and a falling off to a net loss of about 3 to 5 points rallied as soon as the July recovery set in. Business was almost at a standstill during the middle of the day when it was seen that bull leaders were not trying to avoid tenders on July contracts next Tuesday, but later the market became more active and firmer on covering by early sellers and fresh buying influenced by the bullish week-end figures, July sold at 15.10 before the close or eight points net higher while other positions went up to a net advance of about 6 points and the active months were only a little off from the best under realizing during the last few minutes.

Southern spot markets were unchanged to 1-4 lower. New York exports tomorrow are expected to exceed 30,000 bales and comparatively little cotton is being received here from the south. A private condition report on Georgia and Alabama, indicated an improvement in the former state for the month and a maintenance of the crop promise in the latter, but there were many bullish private reports from both Eastern and Western sections of the belt.

Receipts of cotton at the ports today 3,241 bales against 6,201 bales last week, 4,669 bales last year, and 4,930 bales in 1908. For the week 25,000 bales against 24,531 bales last week and 33,530 bales last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 923 bales against 2,232 bales last year, and at Houston 324 bales against 331 bales last year.

Spot cotton closed dull; middling uplands 15.05; middling gulf 15.30; and closed steady.

Month.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
June	14.97	15.00	14.97	15.06
July	15.00	15.10	14.92	15.08
August	14.73	14.77	14.66	14.74
September	13.15	13.25	13.13	13.23
October	12.47	12.52	12.43	12.48
November	12.32	12.32	12.27	12.34
December	12.26	12.32	12.23	12.28
January	12.21	12.26	12.19	12.23
February		12.17	12.17	12.22
March	12.21	12.22	12.20	12.24
April				
May	12.24			

Port Movement.

Galveston—Quiet, 14 11-16; net receipts 462; gross receipts 462; sales 360; stock 33,283; coastwise 456.

New Orleans—Quiet, 14 7-8; net receipts 923; gross receipts 923; sales 100; stock 72,555; coastwise 25.

Mobile—Quiet, 14 9-16; net receipts 2; gross receipts 2; sales 25; stock 4,704.

Savannah—Easy, 14 3-4; net receipts 32; gross receipts 246; stock 23,978; coastwise 274.

Charleston—Nominal; stock 5,502; coastwise 196.

Wilmington—Nominal, net receipts 15; gross receipts 15; sales 22; stock 8,269; coastwise 100.

Norfolk—Steady, 15; net receipts 435; gross receipts 435; sales 10; stock 8,744; Great Britain 322.

Baltimore—Nominal, 15 3-8; net receipts 286; gross receipts 286; stock 4,840.

New York—Dull, 15.05; net receipts 1,019; gross receipts 1,271; sales 18,815; stock 132,663; steck 272.

Boston—Quiet, 15.05; net receipts 78; gross receipts 343; stock 4,303; Great Britain 80.

Philadelphia—Quiet, 15.30; stock 1,038.

Newport News—Net receipts 289; gross receipts 289; constwise 289.

Total today, at all ports, net receipts 3,241; Great Britain 82; stock 301,631.

Consolidated, at all ports, net receipts 23,306; Great Britain 28,607; Continent 25,931; Japan 1,134.

Total since September 1st, at all ports, net receipts 7,124,998; Great Britain 2,256,149; France 862,946; Continent 2,526,836; Japan 91,495; Mexico 13,824.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Steady, 14 11-16; net receipts 324; gross receipts 324; shipments 152; stock 19,686.

Augusta—Quiet, 14 7-8; net receipts 76; gross receipts 76; shipments 875; sales 301; stock 17,879.

Memphis—Steady, 14 7-8; net receipts 155; gross receipts 257; shipments 1,105; sales 250; stock 32,343.

St. Louis—Dull, 14 7-8; net receipts 622; shipments 898; stock 21,595.

Cincinnati—Net receipts 460; gross receipts 460; shipments 61; stock 11,018.

Little Rock—Quiet, 14 1-4; net receipts 46; gross receipts 46; shipments 301; stock 18,355.

Louisville—Firm, 15; net receipts 45; gross receipts 45; shipments 3; sales 57; stock 27.

Total today—Net receipts 1,106; gross receipts 1,840; shipments 3,085; sales 608; stock 120,901.

COMPARATIVE COTTON STATEMENT.

New York, June 24.—For the week ending Friday, June 24th:

Net receipts at all U. S. ports during the week 23,306.

Net receipts at all U. S. ports same week last year 33,905.

Total receipts since September 1st 7,124,998.

Total receipts to same date last year 9,776,467.

Exports for the week 55,672.

Exports for same week last year 72,924.

Total exports since September 1st 5,751,270.

Total exports same date last year 8,032,483.

Stock at all United States ports 301,631.

Stock at all United States ports same time last year 380,647.

Stock at all interior towns 186,872.

Stock at all interior towns same time last year 186,255.

Stock at Liverpool 522,000.

Stock at Liverpool same time last year 1,114,000.

Stock of American afloat for Great Britain same time last year 63,000.

PEANUT MARKET.

(Reported by Rodgers, McCabe & Co.)

June 22.—Spanish—Market firm at $1.37 1-8 per bushel. Receipts light. Virginias—Market steady at 4 1-2 to 4 3-4c for Jumbo; 3 3-4c to 4c for fancy hand picked; 3c to 3 1-4c for machine picked; 2c to 2 1-2c for shelling stock.

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Br. Str. Barnton, Ross, Bremen, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Exports—Foreign.

Bremen—Br. str. Barnton, 6,211 bales of cotton, valued at $485,000; vessel and cargo by Alexander Sprunt & Son.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now in Port at Wilmington N. C.

Steamers.

Rauma (Nor.) 1,953 tons, Hilt, F. A. Fetter, Agent.

Schooners.

Alice Holbrook, 643 tons, Ellis, C. D. Maffitt.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., June 24, 1910.

W. & W. Railroad—4 barrels crude turpentine.

W., C. & A. Railroad—15 bales cotton, 1 cask spirits turpentine, 4 barrels rosin, 20 barrels tar, 21 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—1 cask spirits turpentine, 22 barrels rosin, 4 barrels tar.

W. & N. Railroad—5 barrels rosin.

Str. Whitlock—14 casks spirits turpentine, 63 barrels rosin, 27 barrels crude turpentine.

Schr. Geneva Moore—7 casks spirits turpentine.

Schr. C. T. Herman—18 casks spirits turpentine, 100 barrels rosin.

Schr. Chauncey T.—21 casks spirits turpentine, 75 barrels rosin.

Schr. Addie May—39 casks spirits turpentine, 77 barrels rosin, 6 barrels tar.

Schr. Josie D.—14 barrels tar.

Total—15 bales cotton, 101 casks spirits turpentine, 346 barrels rosin, 53 barrels tar, 52 barrels crude turpentine.

NEW YORK PRODUCE.

New York, June 24.—Flour was firmly held with a quiet jobbing trade.

Rye Flour—Steady.

Corn Meal—Firm.

Wheat—Spot firm; No. 2 red 1.06 nominal c.i.f. to arrive; No. 1 northern 1.21 3-8 nominal f.o.b. to arrive. Options closed at 3-4 to 1 1-4c net advance. July 1.05 5-8; September 1.03 7-8; December 1.05.

Corn—Spot firm; No. 2, 6s 1-4 nominal elevator, domestic basis to arrive c.i.f. Options 5-8 to 3-4c net higher.

Oats—Firmer; mixed nominal.

Lard—Easy.

Tallow and Molasses—Dull.

Rice—Steady.

Sugar—Raw firm. Refined—Steady.

Coffee—Futures closed firm or near and steady on distant positions with prices net unchanged to 15 points higher. Spot steady, Rio No. 7, 8 5-16; Santos No. 4, 9 3-8. Mild—Quiet; Cordova 9 1-2 to 12 1-4.

Butter—Firmer; receipts 11,446; creamery specials 28 1-4 to 28 1-2; extras 27 3-4.

Cheese—Strong; receipts 4,340; State, whole milk, new specials 15 to 15 1-2; do fancy 14 1-4; do fancy small colored 14 1-2; do average prime 14; do fair to good 12 3-4 to 13 3-4; do common 10 to 12; skims, full to special 2 1-2 to 12 1-4.

Eggs—Steady, unchanged; receipts 12,592.

Potatoes—Firm, unchanged.

Cabbages—Easy; Long Island per 100, 2.50 to 3.00; Southern, per crate 10 to 50.

Freights and Peanuts—Unchanged.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, June 24.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market, steady 58 cents.

ROSIN—Steady, $4.30 per barrel.

TAR—Market, firm, $2.25 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market, firm $3.00 per barrel for hard; $4.50 for dip and $5.25 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine 37, rosin $2.65, tar $1.70, crude turpentine $1.75 and $2.75.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	101
Rosin	346
Tar	53
Crude turpentine	72

Receipts, same day last year 70 casks spirits turpentine; 172 barrels rosin, 10 barrels tar; 30 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Nothing doing. Quotations corresponding day last year 8 9-16 cents.

spirits turpentine; 139 barrels rosin; 118 barrels tar; 1 barrel crude turpentine.

PRODUCE MARKET.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith June 18th.)

PEANUTS—North Carolina, No. 1 $1.20 to $1.25 per bushel; Spanish $1.40 and $1.50; Virginias $1.00 and $1.10.

CORN—Firm 85 cents per bushel.

N. C. HAMS—Dull; hams 19 to 20; shoulders and sides 16 cts.

EGGS—20 and 21 cents.

CHICKENS—Spring 18 and 30; grown 50 scarce.

BEESWAX—Firm at 26 to 27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2 to 5c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Good demand 80c. per bushel for yams.

HIDES—Dr., flint 14c; green 8c per pound

WOOL—Burr 16c.; free of burr 22c.

GEESE—Out of Season.

PORK—Out of Season.

SHEEP—Grown $1.00 to $2.50.

LAMBS—Good demand $1.50 to $3.00.

PEAS—White black eyes $2.25 and $2.50; lady fingers $2.75; clay and cow peas $1.75, unh

IRISH POTATOES—New crop 50c per bushel, dull.

COTTON RECEIPTS.

New York, June 24.—The following are the total net receipts of cotton at all ports since September 1st:

Galveston	2,450,955
New Orleans	1,207,290
Mobile	242,168
Savannah	1,392,421
Charleston	208,865
Wilmington	311,199
Norfolk	503,750
Baltimore	72,609
New York	25,095
Boston	13,704
Newport News	13,203
Philadelphia	1,796
San Francisco	58,087
Brunswick	227,398
Port Townsend	32,711
Pensacola	137,036
Portland, Ore	200
Port Arthur and Sabine Pass	141,950
Jacksonville	39,300
Eagle Pass, Texas	620
El Paso, Texas	565
Laredo, Texas	1,742
Gulfport	8,264
Georgetown	1,374
Texas City	20,788
Minor Ports	12,208
Total	7,124,998

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REVIEW OF COTTON FOR WEEK

Speculation Has Lacked Features of Striking Interest—Good Demand for Liverpool Several Days. Weather Conditions.

New York, June 24.—The cotton speculation has lacked features of striking interest during the week. The trading has been dull and prices have been irregular. In the forepart of the week, however, some advance occurred. It was traceable largely to covering of shorts on reports of adverse weather conditions in the Southwestern and Eastern sections of the cotton belt.

From Texas and Oklahoma came reports that droughty conditions were damaging the plant. In Georgia and the Carolinas showers have been frequent and at times the precipitation has been heavy. In addition to causing covering of shorts the unfavorable reports have caused more or less buying by commission houses for local Wall Street, Western and Southern account. There has been a good demand on some days from Liverpool for July and August. The opinion of some usually well informed members of the trade is that there is still a large short interest outstanding in August for foreign account. The certificated stock has continued to decrease rapidly, the diminution exceeding 8,000 bales in a single day. Since June 1st the certificated stock here has fallen from 230,174 bales to 106,430 and it is expected that the supply will continue to shrink as freight room is said to have been engaged for large shipments to Europe in the near future. Leading New Orleans bulls have bid for large blocks of July and August. There has been scattered covering in the whole list. Of late, however, the trend of the market in the main has been downward. The weather in the Southwest has been more favorable. Crop accounts are in many cases excellent. The National Ginners' Association according to a rumor in circulation makes the condition of the plant 84.6 per cent. as compared with its May figures of 80.2 per cent. Curtailment is spreading in this country and trade reports from England have been pessimistic. Very small spot sales in Liverpool 3,000 to 5,000 bales a day, make some disposed to credit the unfavorable trade reports from abroad. Reports have been current that leading bull interests have sold through various brokers while giving open support. Orders to sell have been received here from Memphis and Texas as well as other parts of the South. Scattered liquidation has been noticeable for Wall Street, and local account and the favorable character of the crop news from many sections were irregular, closing at a small advance on unexpectedly large spinners' takings for the week, big spot sales here in New York and covering of shorts.

OUTLOOK FOR TRADE.

Dun's Review Shows Business Confident Gaining in Strength.

New York, June 24.—R. G. Dun & Company's weekly Review of Trade tomorrow will say:

"Business confidence gains in strength as crop prospects improve and Congress enacts its important bills preparatory to adjournment.

"Conditons in the Iron market are marked by considerable uncertainty and though stocks of pig iron continue to accumulate reduction in production has not reached the extent thought probable awhile ago. Numerous good orders have been placed for structural material, the total for the month being expected to reach at least 150,000 tons, of which a considerable proportion is for the erection of new bridges and the railroads are asking for bids for a large number of new cars.

"In the drygoods market a reduction of 1-2 a yard in bleached cottons attracted unusual attention because of the announcement that prices would be uaranteed to October. Buyers bought the stocks in hand and evidenced more interest in their Fall requirements. Other lines of cotton were slightly reduced. General trading showed some improvement and jobbers are buying in moderate quantities, but the feautre of the business, both in woolens and cottons, is the increasing curtailment of production at the mills to avoid accumulation of stocks. Although trading is below normal in the primary markets it is noteworthy that theer is a larger measure of confidence in important quarters.

"Unsatisfactory conditions continue in the footwear markets, New England manufacturers averaging about one half the volume of their usual busines."

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Spot Inactive With Prices One Point Lower—Futures.

Liverpool, June 24.—Spot cotton inactive, prices one point lower; American middling 8.49; good middling 8.19; middling 8.05; low middling 7.95; good ordinary 7.69; ordinary 7.44. The sales of the day were 3,000 bales of which 200 were for speculation and export and included 2,700 American. No receipts.

Futures opened steady and closed barely steady. June 7.66; June and July 7.56; July and August 7.46; August and September 7.14 1-2; September and October 6.75 1-2; October and November 6.57 1-2; November and December 6.48 1-2; December and January 6.45; January and February 6.43 1-2; February and March 6.43; March and April 6.42 1-2; April and May; May and June 6.42.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, June 24.—Buying of bleached goods continued in small lots during the day. Staple prints are quiet. Dress ginghams for Spring 1911 are being shown and about the same values as those of last year are named. The largest lines will not be opened until next month. The local wool market is easier on pulled wools and steady on carpet wools. Cotton yarns are slightly easier with business of a very moderate volume.

THE DEPRESSION IN STOCKS

Caused by Renewed Reports of Crop Damage—Effect of Wickersham's Speech—Wheat Advances Stocks Decline.

New York, June 24.—The stock market fell into depression again today under the combined influence of renewed reports of crop damage and of the publication of Attorney General Wickersham's speech in Chicago.

The close correspondence in the speculative movements in grain and stocks was seen in the course of the early fluctuations in the market. Stocks started higher and wheat started lower. The rains in the Spring wheat territory were the dominant influence on both movements. When wheat commenced to advance stocks began to decline.

The manner in which the subject of government control of capitalization was treated by Attorney General Wickersham in his Chicago address seemed to appeal with new force to operators in stocks. Apparently the determination voiced by President Taft in yesterday's statement and indicated in the Attorney General's argument to make aggressive efforts towards securing the desired new legislation in the coming session of Congress offered a new phase of the subject.

There was a supposition that the pressure on stocks, believed to come largely from professional sources had in it a provocative purpose to bring out support from the financial party credited with a desire to see stocks advance.

Preliminary estimates of the week's currency movement indicates a further large influx of cash to New York from outside sources, the margin over the absorption from the market by the sub-treasury running to several million dollars. Sterling exchange bills declined at one time several points below the low point of yesterday, although some irregularity developed in that market at this further decline.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales par value $1,858,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call. Total sales today 642,600 shares.

N. Y. Bonds.

U. S. ref. 2s registered	100 3-4
U. S. ref 2s coupon	100 5-8
U. S. 2s, registered	101 1-4
U. S. 3s coupon	101 1-4
U. S. 4s, registered	114 3-8
U. S. 4s coupon	114 1-2
American Tel & Tel cv. 4s	100 7-8
American Tobacco 4s	79 1-4
American Tobacco 6s	105 3-4
Armour & Co. 4 1-2s	91 3-4
Atchison gen. 4s	98 7-8
Atchison cv. 4s	103 3-4
Atchison cv. 5s	107 3-4
Atlantic Coast Line 1st 4s	92 1-2
Baltimore & Ohio 4s	99 1-4
Baltimore & Ohio 3 1-2s	90 1-2
Baltimore and Ohio S. W. 3 1-2s	80 1-4
Central of Georgia 5s	104 5-8
Central Leather 5s	99
Chesapeake & Ohio 4 1-2s	100
Chesapeake & Ohio ref cv. 4 1-2s	95 1-2
Chicago & Alton 3 1-2s	70
Chicago, Mil. & St. P. deb 4s	92
Chicago, R. I. & P. R. R. col 4s	76 3-4
Chicago, R. I. & P. Ry. rfg 4s	87 3-4
Colo. & Southern ref & ext 4 1-2s	97
Denver & Rio Grande 4s	93
Denver & Rio Grande ref 5s	91 3-8
Erie prior lien 4s	82
Erie Gen. 4s	72
General Electric cv. 5s	140
Illinois Central 1st ref 4s	97
Interborough Met 4 1-2s	80 3-4
Japan 4s	90 1-8
Japan 4 1-2s	94 3-4
Kansas City Southern 1st 3s	72 3-4
Louisville & Nash. Un. 4s	97 1-2
Missouri, Kan. & Texas 1st 4s	96 5-8
Mo., Kan., & Texas gen. 4 1-2s	85 7-8
Missouri Pacific 3s	77 1-2
New York Central gen. 3 1-2s	88
New York Central deb 4s	92 3-8
Norfolk & Western 1st con. 4s	98 1-2
Norfolk & Western cv. 4s	101 1-2
Northern Pacific 4s	100 1-2
Northern Pacific 3s	70 3-4
Penn. Con. 4s	103 3-8
Reading Gen. 4s	98 1-4
Seaboard Air Line 5s adj	74 3-4
Southern Pacific col 4s	91
Southern Pacific cv 4s	99 3-4
Southern P. R. R. 1st ref. 4s	94
Southern Railway 5s	104 1-4
Southern Railway gen. 4s	76 3-4
Union Pacific 4s	100 3-4
Union Pacific cv 4s	104
Union Pacific 1st and ref 4s	93 3-4
U. S. Rubber 6s	102 1-2
U. S. Steel 2nd 5s	103 1-4
Virginia Car. Chemical 5s	98 1-8
Western Md., 4s	83 1-2
Westinghouse Electric cv. 5s	88 1-2

Closing Stock List.

Amalgamated Copper	64
American Agricultural	42
American Car & Foundry	54 3-4
American Cotton Oil	41 1-2
American Hide & Leather pfd	34
American Ice Securities	24 1-2
Amer Smelting & Refng ex div	75
Amer. Smelting & Refng pfd	103 1-4
American Steel Foundries	54 1-2
American Sugar Refining	120 1-2
American Tel & Tel	136
American Tobacco pfd	93 1-2
Atchison	104
Atchison pfd	101 3-4
Atlantic Coast Line	118
Baltimore & Ohio	111 1-4
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	78
Canadian Pacific	194
Central Leather	36 3-4
Central Leather pfd	106
Central of New Jersey	300
Chesapeake & Ohio	80 1-8
C. C. C. & St. Louis	80
Colorado & Southern	56 1-2
Consolidated Gas	138 3-8
Delaware & Hudson	165
Denver & Rio Grande	35 1-4
Erie	26 3-4
Erie 1st pfd	44 5-8
Erie 2nd pfd	34 1-2
General Electric	145
Great Northern pfd	130 3-8
Illinois Central	132
Inter Harvester Ex. Div.	98
Kansas City Southern	32
Kansas City Southern pfd	65
Louisville & Nashville	146 3-4
Minneapolis & St. Louis	35
Missouri Pacific	66 3-4
National Biscuit	105
Norfolk & Western	100 1-2
North American	68
Northern Pacific	125 7-8
Pennsylvania	132 1-8
People's Gas	106 3-4
Pullman Palace Car	157
Reading	155 3-8
Republic Steel	33 1-4
Republic Steel pfd	94
Rock Island Co.	40
Rock Island Co. pfd	81
Southern Pacific	122
Southern Railway	25 7-8
Southern Railway pfd	69
Texas & Pacific	29 1-2
Union Pacific	171 1-2
Union Pacific pfd	93
United States Rubber	49 3-4
United States Steel	77 1-4
United States Steel pfd	116
Virginia Carolina Chemical	59 1-2
Wabash	10
Wabash pfd	43 1-4
Western Maryland	44
Westinghouse Electric	64
Western Union	63 1-2

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, June 24.—Money on call firm 2 to 3 per cent., ruling rate 2 7-8, closing bid 2, offered at 2 1-2. Time loans firmer and dull, 60 days 3 per cent. and 90 days 3 1-4 to 3 1-2; six months 4 1-4 to 4 1-2. Prime mercantile paper 4 3-4 to 5 1-2 per cent., sterling exchange firm at recovery with actual business in bankers bills at 4.8440 to 4.8460 for 60 day bills and at 4.8615 for demand. Commercial bills 4.83 3-4 to 4.84 1-4. Bar silver 53 1-2. Mexican dollars 44.

Go to the big land sale Saturday at Love Grove. A good time for everybody. ju 24-2t.

THE GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, June 24.—Wild fluctuations varying almost three cents wound up today in a net gain of 3-4 to a cent a bushel for wheat. Experts traveling in the northwest issued sensational reports as to prospective crop losses, one authority putting the probable North Dakota product at only about forty per cent. of the total estimated by the government on June 1. Light general rains today over the Dakotas, however, with cooler temperatures checked what threatened to be a runaway market. Excited speculation also was witnessed in corn and oats, where there were final gains of respectively 1-8 to 5-8c to 3-4 and 5-8 to 7-8c. Hog products at the close were down 5c to 27 1-2c.

Cash close: Wheat—No. 2 red 1.03 to 1.03 1-2; No. 3 do 98 to 99 1-4; No. 2 hard 99 1-2 to 1.00; No. 3 do 95 to 99; No. 1 northern 1.09 to 1.10; No. 2 do 1.04 to 1.07; No. 3 spring 98 to 1.04.

Corn—No. 2, 59 3-4 to 60; No. 2 white 63 to 64 1-2; No. 2 yellow 61 to 61 1-2; No. 3, 59 to 59 1-2; No. 3 yellow 60 1-4 to 60 3-4; No. 3 white 62 to 63 1-2; No. 4, white 57 to 60; No. 4, 57 to 57 1-2; No. 4 yellow 57 to 59.

Oats—No. 2 white 51 1-2 to 43; No. 3 do 40 to 41; No. 4 do 39 to 40 1-2; standard 41 to 41 1-2.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
July	97	99⅜	96½	98⅜
Sept	97	99⅛	96½	98¾
Dec.	97¾	1 00	97¼	98¾
Corn—				
July	58⅞	60⅛	58⅝	59⅝
Sept	59⅞	61½	59⅜	60¾
Dec.	58¼	59⅝	58	58⅞
Oats—				
July	39¼	40⅜	39⅛	40
Sept	38⅞	40	38¾	39½
Dec.	39⅝	40⅝	39¼	40⅜
Mess Pork, per bbl.				
July	23 55	23 55	23 15	23 35
Sept	22 77½	22 77½	22 40	22 50
Lard, per 100 lbs.				
July	12 50	12 52½	12 40	12 40
Sept	12 55	12 55	12 35	12 40
Short ribs, per 100 lbs.				
July	12 95	13 00	12 85	12 87½
Sept	12 50	12 62½	12 42½	12 47½

VISIBLE SUPPLY OF COTTON.

Hester's Statement Shows 2,571,608 Bales of Staple.

New Orleans, June 24.—Secretary Hester's statement of the world's visible supply of cotton issued today shows the total visible to be 2,571,608 bales against 2,700,790 last week and 3,313,430 last year. Of this the total of American cotton is 1,461,608 against 1,588,790 last week and 4,500,430 last year, and of all other kinds, including Egypt, Brazil, India, etc., 1,110,000 against 1,112,000 last week and 813,000 last year.

The total world's visible supply of cotton shows a decrease compared with last week of 129,182 and a decrease compared with last year of 741,822. Of the world's visible supply of cotton there is now afloat and held in Great Britain and Continental Europe 1,307,000 against 2,206,000 last year; in Egypt 82,000 against 125,000 last year; in India 701,000 against 414,000 last year; and in the United States 482,000 against 568,000 last year.

COTTON MARKET UNCHANGED.

Considerable Liquidation Appeared in July—Conditions Yesterday.

(Special Star Telegram.)

New York, June 24.—Today's market opened almost unchanged from last night's close and ruled unchanged and quiet through most of the day. Some considerable liquidation appeared in July bringing about a moderate decline which was promptly checked by good support from the long interests the market slowly improving during the afternoon. Rumors of rains around San Antonio were current during the morning but were unconfirmed and the pressure against the Fall months seemed to have run its course. We do not anticipate any very radical change in prices but the market acts rather sold out for the moment.

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NAVAL STORES.

New York, June 24.—Rosin and turpentine firm.

Charleston, S. C., June 24.—Turpentine firm 59c; sales 37. Rosin firm; sales 315. Quote: A, B, C, 4.80 to 4.90; D, 4.90 to 5.00; E, 5.20 to 5.25; F, 5.20 to 5.25; G, 5.25 to 5.35; H, 5.25 to 5.35; I, 5.25 to 5.35; K, 5.30 to 5.35; M, 5.35; N, 5.40 to 6.00; WG, 5.95; WW, 6.25 to 6.40.

Savannah, Ga., June 24.—Turpentine firm 59 to 59 1-4; sales 495; receipts 614; shipments 508; stock 11,135. Rosin firm; sales 2,145; receipts 1,843; shipments 420; stock 61,192. Quote: A, B, C, 4.85 to 4.95; D, 4.95 to 5.05; E, 5.20 to 5.30; F, 5.30 to 5.35; G, 5.30 to 5.35; H, 5.30 to 5.35; I, 5.30 to 5.35; K, 5.30 to 5.35; M, 5.30 to 5.35; N, 5.40 to 5.70; WG, 5.70 to 5.95; WW, 5.90 to 6.25.

PENDER FAVORS RE-NOMINATION OF THOMAS.

Mr. Editor:—My admiration and respect for the Hon. Chas. R. Thomas have only been increased and heightened by reading his recent open letter to the people of this district in which he announces his purpose to stand by pledges made in a letter written quite two years ago. No one who knew him, however, expected him to do otherwise, for his public career has been characterized by fidelity to duty and loyalty to every promise or pledge.

Now, Mr. Editor, when Mr. Thomas made that promise two years ago that he would not be a candidate for reelection this year, conditions were quite different from what they are today. At that time his health was poor; today it has been fully restored and he was never in finer trim. Two years ago everything looked dark and dismal for the Democratic party; today everything points to a Democratic landslide in November. Should such a thing happen Mr. Thomas would be the ranking member on one of the most important committees in Congress and in position to serve his State and the South as never before.

To turn him down now at the threshold of such usefulness to his district and people would be a political crime and benefit nobody but the man selected in his stead. Are the rank and file of the people ready to commit such an error? I don't think so. Many of our people complain at the treatment we receive at the hands of Congress, much of which is due to the fact that we too often limit the terms of our Congressmen while useful members fro mother parts of the country are kept there indefinitely.

With twelve years' experience to his credit, Mr. Thomas would be able to go farther to the front and render more effectual service to his district and State than ever and I appeal to the manhood and intelligence of the "Old Third" to rally around his colors and after complimenting the favorite candidates from the different counties, re-nominate Thomas, keep him on the firing line and at the front where he would be invaluable to his district and people under a Democratic Congress. I could write columns but this is enough. J. H. COLVIN.

Atkinson, N. C., June 20, 1910.

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"Angels' Serenade"

"Whispering Flowers," "Three Twins," "Tales of Hoffman," overture "Queen of the Nile," "American Patrol," a harp solo and others at the Lumina concerts tomorrow.

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THE WEATHER

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., June 25, 1910.

Meterological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M. Friday, June 24th:

Temperature at 8 A. M. 77 degrees; 8 P. M., 77 degrees; maximum 85 degrees; minimum 73 degrees; mean 79 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; for the month, 6.61 inches.

Stage of water in the Cape Fear at Fayetteville at 8 A. M. Thursday 6.2 feet.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Local showers Saturday and probably Sunday; light to moderate variable winds.

Port Calendar—June 25.

Sun Rises.....5.02 A. M.
Sun Sets.....7:27 P. M.
Day's Length.....14 hrs. 25 min.
High Water at Southport....9:28 A.M.
High Water at Wilmington.12:28 P.M.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

John D. Taylor, C. S. C.—Notice.
J. W. H. Fuchs—Clothing and Shoes.
People's Savings Bank—The Money.

Business Locals.

For Rent—Cottage.
Wanted—Canvassers.
Terpischore—Wanted.
Wanted—Brick Maker.
Wanted—Rooms for Housekeeping.
Jack Cowell—Orton Barber Shop.

CONFERENCE AT OYSTER BAY.

Roosevelt, Pinchot and Garfield Had Long Talk Yesterday.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., June 24.—Theodore Roosevelt held a long talk today with James R. Garfield, his Secretary of the Interior, and Gifford Pinchot, the chief forester, whom President Taft deposed. But what they said and what bearing if any their talk had on the National political situation is known only to themselves. Every precaution was taken to keep it a profound secret. This afternoon the Oyster Bay Pilot appeared with an editorial utterance to the effect that Roosevelt, Pinchot and Garfield were very busy forming a new national party.

Mr. Garfield and Mr. Pinchot left town at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon.

Mr. Roosevelt spent the day in entertaining his guests. Besides Messrs. Garfield, Pinchot and McCormick, he had with him "Jack" Greenway of Colerain, Minn., Capt. Edward Borein, of California; Wm. McGinty, of Ripley, Okla.; Edward E. Emerson, of Boston—all old rough rider comrades—Leslie Tarlton and Claude Tritton, Englishmen, who organized his African expedition; Francis J. Heney, the San Francisco graft prosecutor, and Mrs. Heney.

Governor Hughes is expected in Oyster Bay either at the end of this week or next week, after Mr. Roosevelt returns from Cambridge.

The three rough riders—Borein, McGinty and Emerson—donned their uniforms in New York at sunrise, were ferried across the East river and then rode all the way to Oyster Bay on cow ponies. They bore the rough riders dearest possessions, the two regimental flags, which they carried in their charge up San Juan Hill.

Col. Roosevelt was sitting on the veranda waiting. When he saw them plodding up the hill he walked down part of the way to meet them. The cavalrymen saluted him in military fashion and Col. Roosevelt returned the salute.

"Colonel" said Capt. Borein, "we have brought back the standards to the man who is best fitted to keep them."

Col. Roosevelt replied that he would treasure the colors always. One of them he had lent to the Rough Riders for their celebration yesterday.

DEFENSE FOR SAUNDERS.

Minority Report Filed for Democrat Unseated in Congress.

Washington, June 24.—Representative Touville, of Ohio, today filed the minority report in the election contest case of Parsons, Republican, Saunders, Democrat, in the Fifth Virginia district.

The majority of the committee voted to unseat Representative Saunders and seat Parsons on the ground that the Congressional district had been gerrymandered in violation of the constitution.

The minority report signed by Representatives Touvelle, of Ohio; Hamill, of New Jersey, and Korbly, of Indiana, all Democrats, held that the re-districting was not in violation of the law. The House will not decide the contest until the next session.

GOLDSBORO PRIMARIES

Wayne's Two Candidates Divide The Congressional Strength of County.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Goldsboro, N. C., June 24.—In the primaries here tonight the following vote was cast: First precinct, Hood 26, Robinson 6; 2nd precinct, Hood 58, Robinson 8; 3rd precinct, where Robinson and Hood reside, no vote taken but four of the delegates for Hood two for Robinson. Fourth precinct instructed for Hood. Out of the 26 delegates Goldsboro township is entitled to, Hood will receive 21 votes, Robinson 5. All precincts instructed of Hon. W. R. Allen for Associate Justice and Hon. F. A. Daniels for Superior court judge. Hoods friends are hopeful.

THE TOXAWAY CASE.

Judge Pritchard Grants Receiver for Company Compensation.

Asheville, N. C., June 24.—Judge J. C. Pritchard, of the United States Circuit Court, signed an order today allowing A. H. Burroughs, receiver in the case of A. H. Burroughs, trustees, against the Toxaway Company, compensation and attorney fees as recommended in the report of Referee J. Haywood Parker. Exceptions to the master's report will be heard in this city July 10th.

The New Bonds

If you have North Carolina Four Per Cent Bonds, due July 1st, 1910, send them to us for payment or exchange for the new issue. We purchased $150,000.00 of the new Bonds, which are free of all taxes, and being a State depository are prepared to take up the maturing Bonds.

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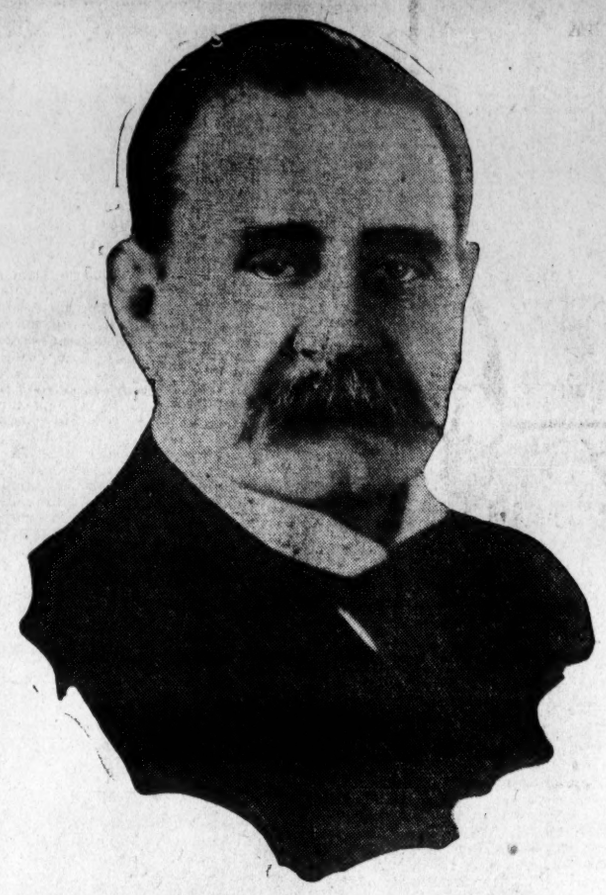

Chicago, June 24.—The National government has full power and authority to supervise and regulate the issuance of stocks and bonds by railroads and other common carriers subject to the interstate commerce act, according to Attorney General George W. Wickersham, who made an address before the Illinois Bar Association today.

In his address Mr. Wickersham discussed the legal power and authority possessed by the government to supervise and regulate the issuance of stocks and bonds by railroads and other common carriers subject to the interstate commerce act. He dealt with the legal phases of the proposed governmental control and cited hundreds of authorities, from the forefathers of the country down to the latest decisions of the United States supreme court, to show that the national government may regulate railroad securities.

BRIBERY ATTEMPT AROUSES SENATE

(Continued From Page One.)

this motion upon the table. A rule against debating the Gallinger motion was enforced and Mr. Gore's motion was tabled.

Mr. Gore explained that on May 4th last he had offered a resolution similar in terms to the amendment he had placed in the deficiency bill in the Senate and that it had been referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs. On the following day Senator Hughes had been directed to make a favorable report on the resolution, he said.

"On May 6th", exclaimed Mr. Gore, "a man came to me with an improper suggestion. He was a representative of Mr. McMurray, a resident of my home town, and had been my friend in a time of need. He assured me it would be to my financial interest if I would call on the Senator from Colorado and advise him not to report the resolution. There was a suggestion that $25,000 or $50,000 would be available if the contracts were not prohibited. An I am informed that a similar proposition as made yesterday to a member of the House of Representatives."

Mr. Gore also charged that "an ex-Senator from Nebraska and an ex-Senator from Kansas are interested in these contracts," and declared that a large lobby was maintained in Washington in that interest. He said that he felt in honor bound to continue these efforts "to prevent this steal from those defenseless Indians in Oklahoma."

Learning that the House had not yet acted upon the conference report Mr. Gore astened to the other chamber where he told friends of the efforts that had been made to corrupt members. When the conference report was brought up in the House, Representative Murphy, of Missouri, called attention to the situation. He declared that an attorney had been lobbying in the capitol for a long time in the interest of legislation which would validate his contracts with Indians.

"Name the attorney" demanded several members. "J. F. McMurray" replied Mr. Murphy. The attorney was seated in the gallery at the time.

The House almost unanimously rejected the conference agreement. When the action of the House was reported to the Senate Mr. Hale moved that the Senate further insist upon its amendments to the bill, and asked for a further conference.

Mr. Gore re-entered the chamber at this juncture and obtaining recognition reiterated his protest against the provision inserted in conference.

Another sensation was created when he declared that the "friend in need" had told him during the conversation of May 6th that "a member of this Senate, a member of the Indian Affairs Committee and a member of the House Committee on Indian Affairs were interested in these contracts."

Mr. Gore said that he had just seen Mr. Tawney, one of the House conferees and had asked him who had suggested the provision which was substituted for the original Senate amendment.

"And Mr. Tawney named the same representative, who was mentioned to me on May 6th as being interested in these contracts" exclaimed the Oklahoma Senator. "I understand that this member of the House and Mr. Murray practically live together in the same hotel in this city."

Senators looked aghast at the disclosures made by the Oklahoma member. The charges which had been mild at first piled up in such an alarming manner that even the rush of the last days of the session was not sufficient to minimize the general interest displayed. The chamber was filled when Senator Bailey exclaimed:

"I think the Senator from Oklahom owes it to himself and to the Senate to give the name of the Senator, who was reported to him as being interested in these contracts."

Mr. Gore declined, however, to mention any names, but said that he hoped there would be an investigation of the whole matter before which he might make the disclosures. The bill was then returned to conference.

Mr. Gore had prepared a resolution providing for an investigation, but he withheld it upon assurance being given by Mr. Hale that the interests of the Indians would be properly safeguarded.

"This is one of the biggest steals ever attempted to be put through Congress," said Mr. Murphy. After naming Mr. McMurray as the man who had been trying to put this scheme through he said Mr. Murray had been ably assisted by Cecil Lyon, chairman of the Great Republican Committee of Texas and National Republican Committeeman from that State.

"These gentlemen" continued Mr. Murphy, "have travelled over the Indian Terrotory and have procured contracts from the individual Indians. You are giving to these men who are holding these contracts from $3,000,000 to $16,000,000 and presumably more, and they have done nothing that was worth a single dollar for it."

Mr. Murray, who was once an attorney for the Creek Indians, tonight figured the ultimate amount that would accrue to McMurray and those associated with him under the ten per cent. contract at $2,860,000.

This said Mr. Murray, is under the geological survey estimate and is exclusive of the percentage they would get from the fine lands which are reserved from allotment.

J. F. McMurray, of Oklahoma, declared here tonight that the charges made in the Senate today by Senator Gore, reflecting upon him in connection with his work in the Choctaw and Chickasaw land and town site cases, were absolutely false.

FOREST BILL GOES OVER

Senate Too Busy to Dispose of the Measure at This Session.

Washington, June 24.—The filibuster in the Senate against the bill providing for the creation of forest reserves in the White mountains and in the Southern Appalachians, continued today with the result that it generally was conceded at the close of the session that there was no prospect for the passage of the bill before the final adjournment of Congress. The best the friends of the bill now hope for is that retaining its position on the calendar as the "unfinished business" of the Senate, it will be taken up early in the next session and passed. The measure was under consideration in the House for several hours tonight.

The greater part of today's session of the Senate was devoted to listening to a speech in opposition to the bill by Senator Burton, of Ohio.

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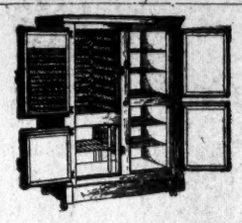

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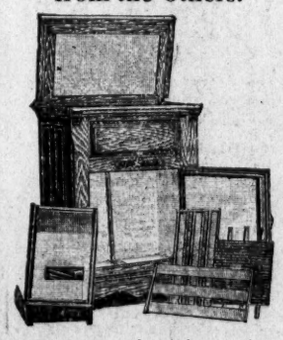

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